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HISTORICAL.

Gleanings Here, There and Everywhere,

But Mostly In Oxford County

BY LEONARD B. CHAPMAN.

AN ANTIQUARIAN SUPPER.
IN TWO PARTS—PART FIRST.

The last meeting of the Bethel Farmer's Club for the winter season of 1855-6 was held February 18, at the residence of "Grandfather Jedediah Burbank, consisting of an Antiquarian Supper and Exhibition," a report of which was prepared by the late Dr. Nathaniel T. True which is here presented nearly as he prepared it. The names of the ancient books exhibited and owners' names I am leaving out excepting the first one named, exhibited by Dr. True as the property of Gould's Bethel Academy library, printed in Latin in 1579, as the list fills some five inches in space in the printed report and at this date of "progress"—a word now in use by politicians and persons in search of office as a political claptrap—the names of th books then exhibited are of very little importance, only as curiosities.

"At sunset an ox team with sled covered with chairs and quilts and coverlets, was started from the village by Uncle Gilman Chapman, containing the officers of the society and the belles of the place, dressed in bonnets which will be described below. Horse sled teams were also started by Uncle Samuel H. Chapman and Uncle Moses Mason. It was curious to see with what interest we were viewed by those we met on the way, especially the women in their flaring bonnets. We were warmly greeted by our host and hostess, and a numerous company thronging the capacious dwelling. A good old fashioned roaring fire was blazing away in the fireplace to keep out the severe cold or the evening.

"The attention of the company was first called to the antiquaries some of which I will here mention. Of books there were many specimens, and as they exhibit the taste of other generations in their selections, and bring to light books of even a large library might be deficient we will give them an extended notice." (And here follows the part of the report I am leaving out as unimportant.)

Of coins there was a variety. There were a number exhibited by Albert L. Burbank, also Continental money by him and J. A. Twitchell. Two pillow cases of old Indian cotton. What a chapter in our history do these articles suggest! Linen, spun and woven eighty-eight years ago by Susanna Barker, mother of Jedediah Burbank, Esq., table cloth sixty-three years old by Susanna Bundy, mother of Mrs. Frances Burbank, were all very suggestive. And there were wedding shoes eighty years old, with high heels in the hollow of the foot, by Mrs. John Harris. A tin examiner upwards of 100 years old by Dr. Moses Mason; and teaspoons, sleeve buttons, buckles and teapots too numerous for individual notice. An Indian pestle dug up upon excavating for the railroad. A box made of birch bark by Mollycokel. A keg, made to the one carried off filled with rum by the Indians, when they captured Lieut. Jonathan Clark, in 1781, made by his son-in-law, Jedediah Burbank, Esq. A pocket book carried by John Burbank in the French war owned by Jedediah Burbank, Esq. Wrought worsted pocket book, 1784, by Lydia Morrell Mowley, from Mrs. Timothy Chapman, also one by Esther Parker, wife of Lieut. Jonathan Clark, wrought 77 years ago. An infant's shirt and cap of domestic linen, 73 years ago, by Mrs. Sarah Twitchell. A scythe, the first used in Bethel, by Jedediah Burbank, Esq."

Here comes in what an old servant took contained in names of articles with prices, but I am passing it unnoticed, also many reports from Plantation records purposely destroyed to shield persons in evil doings in public matters. A list of names of persons owning autographs of public men, I also pass. Enough of these to satisfy the most curious can be read by calling at the residence of the late Dr. Moses Mason, on Bethel Hill. The committee will, I venture to state, be delighted to exhibit them, "free-gratis, for nothing."

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BETHEL LIBRARY.

Recent Gifts and List of New Books.

Bethel Library Association has recently received a gift of a hundred and seventy-five volumes from the library of Mrs. John L. Kittridge of Taunton, Mass.

With a large faith in the fine library building which, through the generosity of some citizen or ex-citizen, or the enterprise of the town, will one day hold the valuable books which are already crowding the present house, Mrs. Kittridge has also given in trust, to be held for the adornment of that new library some valuable paintings and a beautiful carved chair, from her former home in Taunton. Such benefactions do much to sustain and stimulate the activity of those who are constantly working for the usefulness and growth of the library. They may also serve to awaken a like spirit of generous interest in others who are loyal to the little town. Some day we shall see the beautiful new library. Meantime we may be getting ready for it.

The thanks of the Association and the people of Bethel are due to her who in loving remembrance of her old home has taken the first step.

BOOKS ADDED TO THE BETHEL LIBRARY.

Gift of W. W. Hastings:

The Goodly Fellowship, R. C. Schauffler
The Turnstile, A. E. W. Mason
The Quests of Hercules, G. N. and A. M. Williamson
Fate Knocks at the Door, W. L. Comfort
The Price She Paid, D. G. Phillips
Chronicles of Avonlea, L. M. Montgomery
The Street Called Straight Fran, J. B. Ellis
The Prospector, Ralph Connor
The Just and the Unjust, Vaughan Kester
Buttered Side Down, Edna Ferber
The Man in Lonely Land, K. L. Bosher
The Blue Wall, R. W. Child
The Charioteers, M. T. Wright
White Ashes, Kennedy-Noble
Fathers of Men, E. W. Hornung
The Loss of the SS. Titanic, Lawrence Beesley
The Favor of Kings, M. H. Bradley

Gift of Stephen Rich:

Value, Price and Profit, Karl Marx
Socialism, Utopian and Scientific, Fred'k Engels
Socialism, Its Growth and Outcome, Wm. Morris
Manifesto of the Communist Party, Karl Marx

Gift of Stephen and Gilbert Rich:

Through Swamp and Glade, Kirk Munroe
At War with Pontiac, Kirk Munroe
The Fur-Seal's Tooth, Kirk Munroe
The Admiral's Aid, H. H. Clark
A Final Reckoning, G. A. Henty
Friends Though Divided, G. A. Henty
For the Mikado, Kirk Munroe
In the Wasp's Nest, C. T. Brady
Dogtown, M. O. Wright
American Notes, Rudyard Kipling
Leaves and Flowers, Alphonso Wood
Stories of Inventors, Russell Doubleday
The Universal Natural History, A. H Miles
The Heroes, Chas. Kingsley
Aaron in the Wildwood, J. C. Harris
Gulliver's Travels, Jonathan Swift

Books added by the Library Association:

New Consciences and an Ancient Evil, Jane Addams
The Regent's Daughter, A. Dumas
The Chevalier d'Harmental, A. Dumas
The Last Vendee, A. Dumas
The Company of John, A. Dumas
La Dame de Monsereau, A. Dumas
Marguerite de Valois, A. Dumas
The First Republic, A. Dumas
The Forty-Five, A. Dumas
The Vicomte de Bragelonne, 3 vols, A. Dumas
Twenty Years After, A. Dumas
The Count of Monte Cristo, 2 vols, A. Dumas
The Three Musketeers, A. Dumas

ASSAULT AT RUMFORD SATURDAY.

Saturday afternoon Augustine Roy was before Judge McCarthy on a charge of assaulting a Polish woman by the name of Mary Aukodovitch. It seems from the evidence that Mrs. Aukodovitch and a little girl by the name of Dyer were blueberrying back of the station on Friday afternoon, where a lot of other people were engaged in the same occupation. After picking all the berries they wanted these two started for home and stopped at the spring for a drink. While sitting there a man passed by them and the little girl, Margaret Dyer, said that it was Augustine Roy but he said nothing to either one but walked away. Mrs. Aukodovitch and her companion after a few minutes started to walk down the hill towards home and after having gone about half of the distance the little girl noticed a man behind them and she said to Mrs. Aukodovitch that she thought he was following them, but the woman said she did not think so. After going a few steps further Margaret Dyer heard a scream behind her and turning saw a man rush upon Mrs. Aukodovitch and seize her by the legs thereby throwing her down to the ground, after which he bent over her and shook her as hard as he could. The child by this time was thoroughly frightened and started on the dead run for home which she reached in about five minutes. After she left Mrs. Aukodovitch, the man after having shook his victim in the endeavor to make her give him some money finally seeing that she would not and that she continued to scream became frightened and left the woman, going off into the bushes.

Margaret Dyer absolutely identified Augustine Roy as the man and so did Mrs. Aukodovitch. The child said that she had known him for some time and that she had known his children also. Upon her identification the officers arrested Mr. Roy and brought him into court. Judge McCarthy found the evidence sufficient to hold Roy on, and therefore bound him over under $1,000 bonds, which were furnished by Thos. and Chas. Lapham. Mr. Roy has lived in town for the past eighteen years and has borne a most excellent character in every way, not being addicted to drinking or any bad habits and to his friends it seems as if there must be some mistake. He has always been a hard working man at his trade which is that of a stone mason. Mrs. Aukodovitch and Margaret Dyer both lived a short distance back of the M. C. R. R. station.

BOSTON ELEVATED STRIKE SETTLED.

The strike of the conductors and motormen of the Boston Elevated Railway Company, which has lasted for 53 nights and is estimated to have cost $1,023,006, was ended Monday night by the agreement of the company officials to the terms of settlement, the strikers winning every point sought.

The settlement terms state that the company will show no discrimination between union and nonunion employes, and will meet their employes, individually or as committee from any organization, to discuss grievances. Reasonable leave of absence will be allowed men to adjust differences which may come up and such men will be entitled to their regular positions upon return to work. The determination of what ratings will be given the strikers upon their return, and at what time they shall be taken back, is left to the state board of conciliation and arbitration, and that board is given the power to determine future differences. It is also provided that a special board of arbitration may be created to arbitrate differences, if so desired, one member to be chosen by the company, one by the employes and the third by the two, or named by the mayor of Boston.

Objection to the reinstatement of the strikers so far as it will displace men who have remained loyal to the company, or affect their ratings, has been made by representatives of the Elevated Protective Fraternal Association, the organization of men who remained loyal during the strike. Former Attorney General Herbert Parker has been retained to represent the organization, and he will appear before the state board of arbitration, which is given the power to determine that feature of the settlement.

MORSE-BERRY.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Dexter D. Berry of Berry Mills was the scene of a very happy occasion on Saturday afternoon, July 20th, when their oldest daughter, Angie Mildred, was united in marriage to Alvin Stricklin Morse of Mechanic Falls.

The rooms were beautifully decorated with evergreen, ferns, potted plants, and cut flowers. In the corner of the parlor where the ceremony was solemnized, was an arch of evergreen and asparagus, on which were tastefully arranged clusters of roses and sweet peas, while the back ground of ferns added much to the pleasing effect. The walls of the room were daintily festooned with ferns and roses, while potted plants, and bouquets of roses, pinks and sweet peas adorned the rooms throughout.

The bride looked very charming in a gown of embroidered white voile, and carried a bouquet of bride's roses and sweet peas. The couple were attended by Gertrude E. Berry, a sister of the bride, as bridesmaid, and Herschel L. Libby, an intimate friend of the groom, as best man. At the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march, played by a sister-in-law of the bride, Mrs. Harriette Berry, the bridal party entered the parlor, passing through an aisle formed of green and white ribbons, to the arch where Rev. Ransom E. Gilkey, pastor of the Congregational church of Dixfield was in waiting and where the marriage vow was taken, the single ring service being used. A reception was held immediately after the ceremony, followed by refreshments of ice cream and assorted cake. The immediate relatives of both bride and groom were present. Mr. and Mrs. Morse are very popular and well known in this community. Mr. Morse has taught successfully throughout the State. He is a graduate of Bates 1913. Mrs. Morse has been a successful teacher and is an accomplished pianist.

They were the recipients of many useful and beautiful presents, including gold, silver, cut glass, and linen. The happy couple left during the early evening, amid a shower of confetti, to spend their honeymoon in parts unknown to their friends.

Congratulations and good wishes from their many friends follow them through life's journey.

DEATH OF WM. D. WASHBURN.

Wm. D. Washburn, former United States Senator, and for many years prominent in the political life of the nation died at his home in Minneapolis, Minn., July 29. He was 81 years old.

Senator Washburn was in Europe, when after a six months' stay, his health began to fail alarmingly. He expressed a hope to die at his own home and hastened back to America and arrived at his home July 21st.

Wm. Drew Washburn was born in Livermore, Jan. 14, 1831, and graduated from Bowdoin college in the class of '54 with the degree of A. M. He studied law and after being admitted to practice settled in Minneapolis where he rapidly rose in his profession. At the same time the bend of his mind was more in the direction of commerce and he soon became interested in the manufacture of flour. That business was then in its infancy and to his genius its enormous development has since been largely due. He was the founder of the Washburn and Crosby flouring mills in that city, and later as owner in the Pillsbury and Washburn mills with a capacity of 30,000 barrels per day. Mr. Washburn was also heavily engaged in lumbering operations and railroad enterprises. For many years he was president of the Minneapolis and St. Louis Has, and also the St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie company which he promoted. These several enterprises were all successful and made him one of the wealthiest men in the West.

During all these years of business life Mr. Washburn had not forgotten the political discussion to which he had listened in the little country store in Livermore, nor lost his love for politics. Gradually he came to the front as a leader of the republican party and after serving two terms in the legislature he was elected to Congress. This was in 1859, and there he served with conspicuous ability for three terms. In 1889 he was elected to the United States Senate and this position he held until 1895. His readiness in debate and force of character made him an acknowledged leader in that body. These are but some of the more salient points in his career, but he was engaged in a score of different enterprises during all the years of his active career and in all of these he displayed the same ability and attained the same success.

SOUTH PARIS.

Mr. Roy Cole, who has been principal of the high school in Ashland, Mass. has accepted a position as principal of the high school in Canton, Mass., a school of 200 students.

The centennial of the Congregational church will be observed Wednesday and Thursday, Oct. 23 and 24.

Rev. H. P. Forbes, D. D., and daughters, Misses Ruth and Portia Forbes, of Canton, N. Y., who had been with relatives here and in camp at Concord and Shagg Ponds for about four weeks, left Friday morning for Boston, in the vicinity of which they will spend a few days before returning to their home.

Miss Mildred Elder came from her home in Malden, Mass., last week to the family's summer home here, and she and Dr. E. W. Rounds are being entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Gray at their cottage, Gray Birches, on Pennesseewassee Lake, for a week.

The pulpit at the Congregational church was supplied by Dr. E. W. Snell in the absence of the pastor.

Maurice L. Noyes and family were with the Heidners at Shagg Pond a few days the first of last week, all returning home on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry D. Cole are at Fortune's Rock for a short stay.

Mrs. Hattie Merrow of Auburn is at South Paris visiting relatives.

George H. Davis has been entertaining his sister, Mrs. D. W. Breit of Redding.

Sara Abbott of Lynn, Mass., is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Swett and family, Western avenue.

The Methodist church will be closed the first two Sundays in August. Rev. T. N. Kewley, the pastor, and Mrs. Kewley will visit Mrs. Kewley's sister in Massachusetts.

Saturday evening, July 27, the Ladies' Circle of the G. A. R. met to make arrangements for attending the camp fire Aug. 2nd at Hebron, to which they have been invited.

The railroad bridge over the little Androscoggin, south of the village is being rebuilt, as the abutments which were put in about 60 years ago are beginning to show signs of strain. The bridge will be enlarged 150 feet by a viaduct 75 feet in length.

J. A. Noyes and family are now occupying their new bungalow on High street.

Lumley Castle band went by Tallyho to Welchville, Thursday and played at the Methodist lawn party and sale.

Friday evening there will be a parish meeting at the Universalist church, to make arrangements for the organ dedication.

Dr. D. M. Stewart, lieutenant of the Medical department of the Maine National Guards is at Fort Williams with the Coast Artillery Corps on a tour of duty.

STATE OF MAINE.

State Superintendent of Public Schools
Augusta.

The regular annual examination of candidates for State Teachers' Certificates will be given Friday, August 30, beginning at eight o'clock A. M., at the following named places:—Auburn, Augusta, Belfast, Bethel, Biddeford, Brunswick, Calais, Cherryfield, Ellsworth, Fryeburg, Houlton, Jonesport, Old Town, Pittsfield, Portland, Rockland, Skowhegan, Wiscasset and Yarmouth.

Examinations for admission to state normal schools will be given at the same time and places.

Examinations will also be given at such other places as any ten candidates either for state certificate or admission to normal schools, or both, may desire and agree to attend.

Persons desiring to take these examinations should apply at once for registering blanks and circulars of information.

PAYSON SMITH,
State Supt. of Public Schools.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

I shall be away during the months of August and September and those desiring to pay their taxes can do so by handing them to the treasurer, Mr. Brown.

M. E. RICHARDSON,
Bethel, Maine.
8-1-1t.

WANT COLUMN.

Put your Want and Sale notices here and they will be read in 3,000 Oxford County homes—1 lines 1 week, 25c. 3 weeks 50c.

CARRIAGES FOR SALE.

I have a few nice Concord wagons, beach wagons and buggies, which I will sell at nearly wholesale prices. Please call and see them and get prices if desiring to buy.

J. C. BILLINGS,
Bethel, Maine.
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CANADIAN unleached hardwood ashes the best fertilizers on earth, car lots bulk, twelve dollars; sacked, thirteen dollars, sixty cents per ton delivered. George Stevens, Peterborough, Ontario, Canada.
5-1-12-1 yr.

FARM FOR SALE—Situated within one mile of So. Paris village, 100 acres; cuts forty tons of hay, excellent pasture; buildings in first class condition; running spring water in house and barn. Farm easy to handle and under good state of cultivation. Inquire of

E. E. CHAPMAN,
So. Paris, Maine.

FOR SALE—5 room, 1 1-2 story house, barn connected, on High Street in Bethel village. Inquire of

H. H. BROWN,
Bethel, Maine.
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E. S. KILGORE,
CARPENTER AND BUILDER,
GENERAL JOBBING.
Box 324, Bethel, Me.
5-23-6m.—p.

ONE SMITH PREMIER TYPEWRITER for sale at a bargain. Inquire at the

CITIZEN OFFICE,
Bethel, Maine.

YOUNG LADY WANTED—To learn to operate a typesetting machine. Steady work and good pay. Must have fairly good education and be able to furnish satisfactory references. Address

CITIZEN OFFICE,
Bethel, Maine.

FOR SALE—One organ in first class condition, also 1 oil cook stove, 1 riding wagon, 1 set sleds, and 1 sleigh. Inquire of

H. M. OSGOOD,
Bethel, Maine.
8-1-1t-p.

LOST OR STRAYED—From my pasture on Howe Hill, a two-year old white belted black heifer. Has been gone since about the 15th of July. Information leading to her recovery will be rewarded.

FRANK E. STEVENS,
Bethel, Me.
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WANTED—To hire a driving horse and two seated wagon during the month of August. Address

C. CITIZEN OFFICE,
Bethel, Maine.
8-1-2t.

BETHEL LOCALS.

Miss Gilvis Swan visited relatives at East Bethel, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. John Swan was a guest of her sister, Mrs. F. D. Bartlett at Berlin, N. H., a few days last week, going and returning by auto.

Making Graphite.

Practically all forms of carbon can be converted into graphite by heating to high temperature.

Rarely Lose Their Minds.

An alienist says alienists rarely lose their minds. That they more frequently lose their morals is evident from the manner in which some of them testify in criminal trials.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Dangerous Wax.

Not many persons know that the preserving wax used in jellies is highly explosive. It should be placed in a small teapot, and the vessel must be only half full when ready for use. Be careful of the drip when replacing it on the stove. Several accidents this season have proclaimed its dangerous features.

ALBANY.

The dance at the Grange Hall, Saturday night, was largely attended.

Mrs. Viola Dunham of Auburn spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cummings last week.

Mrs. A. L. Bean and children, also Mrs. H. I. Bean and children, who have been visiting in this place have returned to their homes in Lewiston.

Miss Alta Cummings has returned home from the hospital much improved in health.

At the library meeting held July 16, the following officers were chosen for the coming year:—

President,	Geo. Cummings
Vice President,	Allen E. Cummings
Sec. and Treas.,	Mrs. Alma J. Jenkins
Librarian,	Mrs. Alma J. Jenkins
Auditor,	Herbert A. Wheeler
Inspector,	Mrs. F. H. Woodsell

There has been 51 books added during the past two years, also a goodly number of new members. The librarian wishes to thank all those who contributed money for the purchase of new books, and extends to all who are not already members of the library a cordial invitation to join. Fifteen dollars worth of new books have been ordered and will probably be on the shelves ready for the use of the public about the middle of August.

BEAR RIVER GRANGE.

At the last meeting of Bear River Grange the lecturer's hour was devoted to exemplifying the unwritten work of the Order, interspersed with

Song,	Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Kilgore
Song,	Mr. and Mrs. Percy Brinck
Reading,	Miss Carrie Wight
Music,	Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Kilgore
Music,	Grange Choir
Recitation and exercise,	Miss Carrie Wight
Song,	Mr. and Mrs. Percy Brinck

Four applications were received. Ice cream and cake were served. Closed in usual form.

WEAR HUB RUBBERS This Winter

PUTTING OUT DELIGHT.

While Professor W. E. Foster, superintendent of the city schools of Farmersville, Texas, was making an official call at the negro school here the week, he took occasion to hear the lesson of one class, in language. Taking the book from the teacher, he began at the place in the lesson where sentences were to be made by using words given for their construction. Professor Foster, towering six feet above the floor, looked down the class line, and called for a sentence in which the word delight was used.

One small black hand was quickly raised with the announcement of its owner that he had the sentence.

"All right," answered the professor, and forthwith there fell upon the ears of the Texas educator, a sentence of command, "Blow out de light."—Farmersville (Texas) Times.

PARLIAMENTARY.

"This is all so sudden, Mr. Sampson," she said, with maidenly reserve, "and as unexpected, that although I confess I am not entirely indifferent to you, I hardly know what to say in reply to——"

"If you are in favor of the proposition," suggested Mr. Sampson, who, like Dick Swiveller, is a Perpetual Grand Master, "you will please signify your assent by saying 'Aye.'"

"Aye," came softly.

"Contrary!"

"No!" thundered the old man, opening the door.

The ayes have it by a large majority," said Mr. Sampson, reaching hastily for his hat.—Fun.

Man wields the weapon of thought against which no foe can prevail.

Let every occasion be a great occasion for you cannot tell what fate may be taking your measure for a larger place.

Education is the sum of adjustments and power of adaptability which the individual possesses to react upon his total environment, physical, social, intellectual, spiritual; or a process by which the individual attains it.

BETHEL AND VICINITY.

Isaiah Coburn was in Portland, Sunday.

Mrs. E. H. Young was in Portland recently.

Mrs. Edmund Holt has gone to Portland to visit friends and relatives.

The Ladies' Club will hold its annual fair August 15th.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Edwards are visiting in Milan, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Estes and son are guests at Ceylon Bowe's.

O. D. Stinchfield of Auburn was in town the first of the week.

Miss Rose True of Portland is the guest of Miss Mary Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gunther are spending a vacation in Bethel.

Mrs. Lane of Upton was a recent guest of her brother, Mr. H. H. Bean.

Mrs. A. E Herrick and daughter, Margaret, are guests of relatives at Bluehill, Maine.

Mrs. Merton Farwell and daughter, Marjorie, were in Lewiston one day last week.

Miss Dorothea Mason of Portland is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. O. M. Mason.

The Ladies' Club will meet with Mrs. F. S. Chandler, Thursday afternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. E. Smith and family have moved into the "Wight" house he recently purchased.

Miss Daisy Dixon of Augusta is spending part of her vacation with her aunt, Mrs. L. T. Barker.

Mr. Arnel Brown was in Portland, Sunday.

Mr. Fred Hall spent Sunday at Old Orchard.

Mr. David Forbes visited relatives in Berlin, Sunday.

Mr. Stanley Wheeler of South Paris was in town the first of the week.

Mr. Fritz Goddard and son, Claude, were in Lewiston one day last week.

Miss Nellie Coburn from Portland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Andrews, Sunday.

Mr. Thomas E. LaRue is spending a two weeks' vacation with relatives at Montreal.

Mrs. L. A. Keene of East Sumner is the guest of her daughter, Miss Mildred E. Keene.

Mrs. Mary Needham has returned from several weeks' visit at Scarboro with her brother, Mr. Martin Stowell.

Dr. Edson Baker was called to Mr. H. N. Upton's Tuesday to set a dislocated shoulder sustained by Mr. Towne.

Mrs. D. H. Spearrin and daughter Gladys drove to West Milan, N. H., Thursday, to visit Mrs. Spearrin's parents.

Mrs. Harry Gilman and Mrs. Charles Gilman of Roxbury are spending the month of August at Mr. Hervey Hastings.

Mr. Harry Purington and Miss Celden of Manchester, Mass., visited Mr. Purington's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Purington, Friday.

Mrs. Susan Kendrick of Litchfield, who has been visiting relatives in Rumford, is again with her sister, Mrs. H. H. Bean.

Miss Mary P. Burnham of Portland is spending a few weeks with Mrs. L. T. Barker. She was accompanied to Bethel by Miss Annie Campbell.

Congratulations. In Berlin, N. H., July 23th, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. V. Grete (nee Erva Bartlett), a son, Kent Warner.

Mr. Harry Jordan and family will move into their new home on Vernon street as soon as the painters and paper hangers have finished their work.

A party consisting of Ralph and Roy Moore, Percy Robertson and Gordon Allen camped on Bald Mountain, Saturday night.

Last week Mr. and Mrs. Seldon Foster came from Massachusetts to their summer home in Newry, by auto, and called upon Mrs. T. J. Foster and Miss Foster, Monday.

Dean Tyre Moore, the imported Royal Belgian horse, owned by the Bethel Breeders' Association, died Friday evening. This was a very valuable horse and is quite a loss to the owners.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry O. Archibald of Brockton, Mass., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Lovejoy this week. Mr. Archibald will be remembered as he worked in the Citizen office several years.

Mr. Clinton Metcalf and family from Farmington, with friends, Mr. and Mrs. Drake, came by auto to Bethel, Saturday and spent Sunday with Mr. Seth Walker. Monday, Mr. Metcalf returned to Farmington with Mr. and Mrs. Drake. Mrs. Metcalf went to Berlin to visit Miss Jennie Rich and Theresa remained at her grandfather's.

Dr. Elden Baker and family of Auburn are spending their vacation in Bethel at Rev. W. C. Curtis'. Dr. Baker has been located in Auburn a little over a year and is on the staff of the C. M. G. Hospital at Lewiston. During Dr. Wight's absence Dr. Baker is looking after his patients.

About fifty members and teachers of the Congregational Sunday School attended the picnic at Grover's Bircher, West Bethel, last Thursday, and all report a most excellent time. Part went in a hay rack and this was enjoyed immensely by the children, while others preferred the train. It was a merry time indeed and all hope for a repetition next year.

WEAR HUB RUBBERS This Winter

Reduced Prices Shirt Waists

A generous price concession on every waist in stock at this time of season means much to the ladies of Bethel and vicinity. Attractive high grade waists at prices more fitting the end than the height of the season.

EDWARD KING,

Bethel, Maine.

At the Y. P. C. U. Convention held at Ferry Beach last week E. C. Park, Esq., was again made president of the Union.

Mrs. E. C. Bowler and daughter, Mary, are spending a few days in Portland at Dr. King's hospital, where Mary underwent an operation on her throat Tuesday.

Thursday evening, July 25, the people of Middle Intervale were cordially invited to a surprise party given to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph A. Sherwood at the home of Mrs. Sherwood's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. L. Farwell. A very pleasant evening was passed in outdoor and indoor games. Refreshments of ice cream, cake and cookies were served.

SUNDAY RIVER.

Miss Gallant of Cambridge, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. T. Gaudet.

Mrs. L. L. Spinney visited at H. M. Kendall's one day last week.

E. S. Kilgore is at work on P. C. Parker's house.

Lawson Atwell has finished cutting Wm. Gorman's hay and has returned to the woods again.

Miss Annie Gaudet spent Sunday with her brother and family in this place.

J. A. Spinney, who is working at Braun's mill on Bear River was home over Sunday.

J. J. Spinney is cutting the hay on the Trask place.

WANTED: 50 MEN AND WOMEN

To Take Advantage of Special Offer Made by W. E. Bosserman.

W. E. Bosserman, the enterprising druggist is advertising today for fifty men and women to take advantage of the special half price offer he is making on Dr. Howard's celebrated specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia and get a fifty cent package at half price 25 cents.

So positive is he of the remarkable power of this specific to cure these diseases as well as sick headaches and liver troubles, that he agrees to refund the money to any customer whom the medicine does not quickly relieve and cure.

If you cannot call at W. E. Bosserman's store today send him 25 cents by mail and he will send you a package promptly, charges paid.

W. E. Bosserman has been able to secure only a limited supply of the specific, so great is the demand, and you should not delay taking advantage of this liberal offer he is making this week.

August 1—15.

AN ANACHRONISM.

A South Dakota railroad is noted for its execrable roadbed. A new brakeman was making his first run over the road at night and was standing in the center of the car, grimly clutching the seats to keep erect. Suddenly the train struck a smooth place in the track, and all along without a sound. Seizing his lantern, the brakeman ran for the door. "Jump for your lives!" he shouted. "She's off the track!"—Success.

A REMINDER.

Mrs. Crimsonbeak—Did you think of me while I was away in the country, John? Mr. Crimsonbeak—I certainly did, dear. I wore that necktie you bought me for my birthday, and everybody asked me where on earth I got it, and I had to tell them.—Yonkers Statesman.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Wear HUB RUBBERS next winter

PLUMBING, PIPING, AND SHEET METAL WORK

Promptly and properly done by thoroughly competent workmen.

If we cannot do it and do it well—

"YOU WILL HAVE TO TRAVEL FAR."

WM. C. LEAVITT CO.

Norway, Maine

HIGH AUTHORITY

Rev. Matthew Gleason, Sacred Heart Church, Valley Jct., Ia., says: "I took a patient to the Neal Institute, where he was treated for three days for the drink habit. When discharged he said he had no inclination to drink, or appetite for liquor. I feel no hesitancy in saying that I have personal knowledge that the Neal Treatment does cure the drink habit in three days."

DRINK HABIT

can be overcome by the NEAL 3-DAY TREATMENT. No hypodermics used. Results absolutely certain. Call upon, address or phone The Neal Institute, 65 Pleasant Avenue, Portland, Me. Tel. 4216.

Drug Habits Specially Treated with Great Success.

LOCKE'S MILLS.

Robert Crockett of Bryant's Pond has been relieving Mr. Reid at the station for a few days.

Guy Coffin of Mechanic Falls spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Curtis Abbott.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Bennett and daughter, Hazel, and Mr. and Mrs. Perry Lapham and daughter, of Rumford, are at camp Uneedarest for a few weeks.

Blanche and Margaret Herrick are guests of their uncle, E. P. Farrington.

Mr. W. J. Wheeler and Stanley Wheeler of South Paris were in the place on business Saturday.

Alma Swan is caring for Mrs. Will Bean, who is very ill at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Allie Cushman of Mechanic Falls were calling on friends Saturday.

Henry Farrington of Bridgton called at C. B. Bartlett's, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown and little son, of Bethel, visited Mr. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brown, Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Scribner of Waterford is visiting her sister, Mrs. Elmer Fiske, who is gaining slowly from her serious illness.

Ray York of Bethel visited at C. B. Bartlett's, Sunday.

Ed. Peverly of South Paris called on friends, Sunday.

Quite a few from this place attended the dance at Will Swan's barn at South Bethel, Saturday.

Hildreth Staples of Bryant's Pond called on friends, Sunday.

THIS HARD, CRUEL WORLD.

Mrs. Crawford—You can have all the bread and butter you want, but no more cake.

Willie—Say, ma, how is it I can never have a second helping of any of the things I like?—Lippincott's.

Green Tag Sale.

OUR ANNUAL GREEN TAG SALE is now on and it means more to you this year in the way of low prices than ever before. We have an unusually large lot of importers' samples of Bedspreads, Napkins and Towels at prices that are selling them fast. In order to break all records for Green Tag Sales, we have placed on sale our Entire Line of Ladies' Wool Suits and Coats at 1-2 Price and less. Do not miss this Money Saving Opportunity.

One Lot of Coats and Suits, Less Than 1-2 Price

$10.00 suits	Only $5.00
15.00 suits	Only 7.98
16.50 suits	Only 8.00
16.00 suits	Only 8.00
20.00 suits	Only 10.00
1.00 Linen Dust Coats	Only .95
12.50 Wool Coats	Only 6.98
15.00 Wool Coats	Only 8.00

50c. Hose, 25c.

One lot 50c Lace Lisle hose in black, white and colors. All perfect hose. Complete line of sizes. Green tag price 25c.

Skirts 1-2 Price

$3.00 black Voile skirts trimmed with satin satin bands, $1.50.

$7.50 black and navy silk Panama skirts with silk novelty ornaments, $3.98.

$6.00 skirts of grey mixture, $3.00.

$5.00 black and white check skirts, now $2.50.

$3.00 skirts of grey mixture, $1.50.

Children's Dresses 1-2 Price

One lot of children's white and colored dresses, 1-2 price.

These are all fast color and includes white muslin and colored Gabbin dresses.

Bedspreads

$1.00 Bedspreads	$2.59
3.50 Bedspreads	2.00
3.00 Bedspreads	1.69
1.50 Bedspreads	1.25
1.50 Bedspreads	1.00
1.00 Bedspreads	.62

Napkins

All Perfect Napkins and Great Variety of Designs.

$1.90 quality, all linen	$2.50
2.50 quality, all linen	1.75
2.00 quality, all linen	1.25
1.50 quality, all linen	1.00
1.25 quality, all linen	.75
1.00 quality, all linen	.62

MERCERIZED NAPKINS, hemmed, $1.00 quality, 49c. and 69c.

12 1-2c. Bates Ginghams at 7 1-2c.

Large Assortment of colorings and designs.

Special! Special! in Handbags

$1.25 BROWN LEATHERETTE HANDBAGS, only 89c for this sale.

89c BLACK LEATHERETTE HANDBAGS, Green Tag Price, 59c.

Large assortment to select from.

Towels! Towels!

Attend this sale and buy a towel of the best quality at the price you usually pay for a common one. Endless assortment of huck and damask towels scalloped and plain edges, some hemstitched.

$1.00 EACH EMBROIDERED ALL LINEN towels, only 59c. each.

FINE ASSORTMENT HUCK AND DAMASK TOWELS worth $1.00 pair, Green Tag Price, 69c. pair.

$1.50 pair all linen huck towels, 79c. pair.

$2.12c. pair TOWELS, now 69c. pair.

50c. pair TOWELS, now 39c. pair.

25c. pair TOWELS, now 19c. pair.

15c. pair TOWELS, now 12c. and 19c. pair.

BATH TOWELS at the same low prices, also 8c, all linen GUEST TOWELS.

$1.75 mercerized Table Cloths (62x80) pretty designs, $1.25.

Corsets at Green Tag Prices

A 50c. QUALITY CORSET for 42c. during 12½ sale.

You will find a complete line of sizes.

THERE WILL BE IN THIS SALE, SHEETS, PILLOW SLIPS, WASH GOODS, MUSLINS, DAMASK, CRASH, BLEACHED AND UNBLEACHED SHEETING, PERCALES, MUSLIN UNDERWEAR, WAISTS, ETC., AT VERY LOW PRICES.

DRY GOODS

Thomas Smiley

SMILEY SYSTEM—5 STORES

NORWAY, * * MAINE

Attacks of Indigestion

"I believe Chamberlain's Tablets have saved my life, writes Mrs. Maggie Coil, Golden City, Mo. "I had pains in my stomach so bad I thought I could not live. Our doctor said it was congestion of the stomach. I would go to bed perfectly well and wake up in the night as bad as I could be and live. Our doctor said it would do no good to give medicine internally. He had to inject medicine in my arm. Since taking Chamberlain's Tablets I can eat anything I want without hurting me." This form of indigestion is extremely painful and often dangerous. By taking Chamberlain's Tablets after eating, and especially when you have fulness and weight in the stomach after eating, the disease may be warded off and avoided. Chamberlain's Tablets not only aid digestion, but strengthen and invigorate the stomach.

What Will the Baking Be?

If you have used William Tell Flour it will be bread that is good as most cake—cake that is a miracle of tender lightness—pastry that melts in your mouth.

Our own special process, latest improved machinery, perfect organization, selected Ohio Red Winter Wheat, makes William Tell the ideal flour.

It is also the most economical—makes the most loaves to the sack.

Have it in readiness for your next baking. Remember to order

William Tell Flour

THE HOME CIRCLE.

Pleasant Reveries—A Column Dedicated to Tired Mothers as they Join the Home Circle at Evening Tide.

This world is full of beauty, as unseen worlds above,
And if we did our duty, it would be as full of love.
—But the love must bring out the beauty,
Not the beauty the love.

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"It isn't the thing you do, dear,
It's the thing you leave undone
That gives you a bit of heartache
At the setting of the sun.
The tender word forgotten,
The letter you did not write,
The flower you did not send, dear,
Are your haunting ghosts at night.
For life is all too short, dear,
And sorrow is all too great,
To suffer our slow compassion
That tarries until too late.
—Margaret E. Sangster.

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Does the road wind uphill all the way?
Yes, to the very end.
Will the day's journey take the whole day?
From morn to night, my friend.

But is there for the night a resting place?
A roof for when the slow, dark hours begin.
May not the darkness hide it from my face?
You cannot miss that inn.

Shall I meet other wayfarers at night?
Those who have gone before.
Then must I knock, or call when just in sight?
They will not keep you standing at the door.

Shall I find comfort, travel-sore and weak?
Of labor you shall find the sum.
Will there be beds for me and all who seek?
Yes, beds for all who come.
—Christina Russetti.

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THOUGHTS THAT MAY HELP YOU.

A pure heart is worth more than untold wealth.

Kind words draw people nearer to God, but cross words drive many to despair and ruin.

Thoughtfulness for others is a trait of character greatly to be desired.

The consciousness of having been a help to others brings sweetest peace and joy to the soul.

Always look on the bright side of life.

While there are so many sad hearts about us, no child of God has a right to withhold the words of cheer and comfort he may be prompted to utter.

Try each day to bring some soul nearer to the goal you are trying yourself to reach.

When tempted and tried look away from self to Jesus.

A pure and noble life has an influence for good over all with whom it comes in contact.

Sometime in the future many whose sphere of Christian work has seemed small while on earth, will find with joy, that thy have helped many to find the Saviour.

True Christians are a blessing to the world, for they are in touch with the Lord Jesus Christ and will do nothing that He would not approve of.

Purity is a priceless gem and all can obtain it.

Improve every opportunity that comes to you of doing good.
—Selected.

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WHAT IS A FRIEND?

Seated on the white beach, they talked of friendship.

"A friend is a balancing pole," said an athlete, "a balancing pole without which it is impossible to walk safely the tight-rope of life."

"A friend is a jewel," said a pretty girl, "that shines brightest in the darkest of misfortune."

"A friend is a volume," said a journalist, "a volume of sympathy bound in cloth as a rule, though in rare cases the binding may be silken."

"A friend is a gold link," mused a jeweler, "in the chain of life."

"He is a plaster," said a physician, "for the cuts of misfortune."

"Like ivy," said the botanist; the greater the ruin the closer he clings."

"A friend," said a sad-looking woman, is the first person who comes in when the whole world has gone out."

The only touch that reaches God is that of faith; heart to heart, soul to soul, mind to mind, only so do we come in actual contact with God.—Robertson.

Shocking Sounds

Is the earth are sometimes heard before a terrible earthquake, that warn of the coming peril. Nature's warnings are kind. That dull pain or ache in the back warns you the Kidneys need attention if you would escape those dangerous maladies, Dropsy, Diabetes or Bright's disease. Take Electric Bitters at once and see backache fly and all your best feelings return. "My son received great benefit from their use for kidney and bladder trouble," writes Peter Randy, South Rockwood, Mich. "It is certainly a great kidney medicine." Try it. 50 cents at H. S. Pibbard's of Bethel; Chas. Fernald's, Nathan Reynolds' of Canton; H. J. Reynolds' of Ridlonville; C. A. Gardiner's of Dixfield.

PORTLAND Coach Colors

"The ideal colors for the rainy day job

Will make your buggy, carryall, automobile or farm wagon look like NEW.

Combine Quality and Brilliancy in Exceptional Measure.

You simply cannot buy a better line of coach colors than PORTLAND. As for wear it

Weathers all Weathers.

Almost your choice in Motor colors PORTLAND, as our other varnishes thoroughly,

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PORTLAND, MAINE

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For Sale by W. E. DOBBERMAN, Bethel, Maine.

Stomach Pains

and Indigestion. Your great distress for two years. I took three bottles of Dr. King's New Life Pills and found myself entirely cured. I never write testimonials, but you may use mine.

DR. KING'S
New Life Pills

G. R. Hoe, Mt. Gretna, W. Va.

25 CENTS PER BOTTLE AT ALL DRUGGISTS.

CANTON.

Mrs. Frank Snell of South Paris is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Heald.

W. B. Gilbert and wife are on an extensive auto trip.

Horace Bartlett has returned from the C. M. G. Hospital where he had an operation performed upon his ear.

A. B. Allen of Livermore Falls was in town Friday.

The Lucky Friday Club will hold their annual field day Aug. 16, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Harmon.

Rev. Lucian M. Robinson of Philadelphia was in town last week.

Mrs. Geo. Childs and daughter were at Lewiston, Saturday.

Mary Daniels has gone to Jackson, N. H., to spend some time before her return to her home in New York.

Ashby Sampson of Boston has been a guest of relatives and friends in Canton and Hartford. Mr. Sampson formerly lived in Hartford, being a son of Mr. and Mrs. Lot Sampson, old residents of that town.

C. B. Dodge and grandchild of Bridgton and Fred Dodge and wife of Auburn have been guests of Frank W. Dodge and family. During their visit a family gathering was held at the Dodge home, their children and families being present.

Gerald Newman returned Saturday from a visit in East Auburn.

Miss A. H. Nulty and a party of friends from Buckfield have been on a camping trip to Worthley Pond.

H. E. Parsons, Miss Sadie Ingersoll, Mrs. F. Richardson, Miss M. N. Richardson and Mrs. W. A. Lucas enjoyed an auto trip to Winthrop and Augusta last Sunday.

Miss Winnie Robinson of Boston is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Robinson, of Hartford.

The annual St. Rocco celebration will be held at the Fair Grounds, Lewiston, August 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Atkinson are at work for Emerson Poland and wife.

Herbert Jenne of Frye is a guest of Geo. Childs at the Point.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Nickerson and son, Hartley, of Farmington, have been guests of Mrs. Nickerson's sister, Mrs. M. J. Howes, and family.

Mrs. L. B. Spaulding and Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Rich have been visiting in Phillips, their former home.

William Wills is a guest of R. G. Dunn and wife.

Mrs. Fannie Childs spent Friday with Mrs. J. P. Swasey and family.

A social dance will be held at Canton Point, August 16.

O. M. Richardson has purchased a new auto.

Mrs. Maurice Hathaway and little daughter, Katherine, have arrived from Washington, D. C., for a visit at the Hathaway home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hollis of Portland have been guests of his brother, E. K. Hollis and family.

Mrs. John Gilman and two children of New Haven, Conn., are guests of her mother, Mrs. Robain Arsenault.

The Canton Banjo Club will hold a dance at the Grange Hall, Peru, Aug. 2.

Rev. F. R. Enslin delivered the memorial address to Beckemeka Grange, Peru, last Saturday.

Mrs. Josephine Russell is a guest at the home of Scott Howard of Hartford.

Miss Mary Richardson has been spending a week with relatives at Buckfield.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Foss of Mechanic Falls spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. K. DeCoster and daughter.

Mrs. A. P. York was at Livermore Falls, Thursday.

Mrs. Eltese Goding and daughter, Mabel, are spending a week at Ocean Park.

Linwood Doten has sold his farm in Livermore to New York parties.

Hazel Gilbert is at work for Mrs. Hamlin Hyde of Livermore Falls.

Miss Mabel Johnson of Winchester, N. H., is a guest of her aunt, Mrs. A. E. Johnson.

Harold Hodge and family of Ohio are guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hodge, of Canton Point, and of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Holman, of Peru.

Mrs. Pallura Strout has gone to Old Orchard on an outing.

Mrs. Cordelia Robinson of Auburn is visiting her brothers, Wm. F., and J. M. Shackley and families.

Miss Josephine Allen of North Turner has been visiting Mrs. Iona Harding.

Mrs. J. W. Thompson, who has been ill for the past three months, is able to walk out a short distance.

Chas. F. Holmes was at Portland, Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Richardson is spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. W. S. Ingersoll, of Winthrop.

Geo. Virgin of Auburn has been visiting in Canton.

WEAR HUB RUBBERS
This winter

HOWES GREAT LONDON SHOWS
AT BETHEL,
Saturday, August 10

INTACT, COMPLETE AND UNCHANGED FROM ITS TOUR OF THE WORLD; DWARFING AND OVERSHADOWING EVERY OTHER TENTED EXHIBITION.

THE LARGEST AND MOST PERFECT SHOW NOW ON THIS CONTINENT.
The Traveling Amusement Sensation of The Day

THE MARVELOUS EDDYS THE MONARCHS SUPREME
THE ROYAL YEDDO JAPANESE TROUPE DIRECT FROM YOKOHOMA.
200 European Novelties. 400 People. 250 Horses.
Troupe of Performing Elephants, Performing Lions, Camels.
THE DUBLIN GRAYS. THE BLACK HUSSARS. 3 BANDS.
ROYAL ROMAN HIPPODROME. TRAINED ANIMAL EXHIBITION.

Free Street Parade, 10 A. M. 2 Exhibitions, Afternoon at 2, Night at 8.

H. T. Tirrell and sons and Sam. Shackley are building a new barn on the place occupied by A. G. Rich and family of Canton Point.

Mrs. Edna Briggs visited at Livermore, Sunday.

A. L. Newman of Auburn spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lucas.

Mrs. C. L. Hutchinson has gone to Farmington for a short time.

Mrs. E. E. Wingate and son were in Lewiston, Monday.

POINTERS FOR THE MOTORIST.

How Brakes Often Cause Tire Trouble.

Sudden braking is harmful to tires. It causes the wheels to be dragged over the ground, with the result that the tire treads are quickly worn away. Occasionally motorists apply their brakes so forcibly that the wheels are locked. Not only is this absolutely ruinous to envelopes, but according to the Michelin Tire man, it is not generally the quickest way to stop a car. A demonstration of the same principle is often seen in starting a railroad train. If the throttle is opened suddenly the wheels of the locomotive will spin around without gripping the rails and the train stands still, whereas, if the steam be applied slowly the cars are set in motion at once.

Moreover, if the brakes act with unequal force, the trouble is likely to result. One of the wheels will probably run free, while the other is checked suddenly. The tire on the latter wheel will soon show signs of wear.

If the springs are weak, bad jars will cause the upper part of the tires to rub against the mudguards. To chain-driven cars the driving-chains often cause injuries of a somewhat similar nature. If they are slack, a swinging motion will cause them to strike the sides of the tires. If the chain line is too close to the wheels or if the chain bolts are too long the envelope will be marked with oblique scratches. These cuts are crossed at regular intervals, being produced first when the bolts strike the upper and again when they strike the lower part of the tire walls. All these matters require the motorist's careful attention.

GROVER HILL.

M. and Mrs. James Hammond from Bethel called on friends here Sunday.

Mr. Harry Lyon of Auburn spent Saturday night in the place.

Miss Gertrude Grover of Gorham, Me., has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Fred Mundt.

Miss Georgia Frost who has been a guest at Fred Wheeler's has returned to her home in Norway.

Mr. Robert Phipps of Wakefield, Mass., is spending a few weeks at "Cobblestone Farm."

Mr. Lyndon Philbrook from Springfield, Mass., drove down in his car last week and visited his father, Mr. Payson Philbrook and sister, Mrs. Fred Wheeler. He was accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Frost and daughter Goldie of Norway.

Lucius McAllister and family recently visited in Stoneham.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Grover entertained Dr. and Mrs. Chas. Wight of Boston one day last week.

NEWRY.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Powers held their wedding reception at Kilgore's Hall last Wednesday evening. One hundred and twenty-five were present and the evening was fine. Dancing was enjoyed and candy and peanuts were served at intermission. The presents were numerous, among which were two and one half dozen teaspoons, one dessert and two berry spoons, two cream ladles and one gravy ladle, two meat forks, one sugar shell, one butter knife, one candle stick, one pitcher, four large glass dishes, one fancy plate, six fancy vegetable dishes, six bread and butter plates, one table cloth, several doilies, one center piece, one sofa pillow, one kitchen set, one waste basket, one wash tub, a dozen rug and one pair towels.

Every one seemed well pleased with the evening's entertainment and went home wishing the young couple many years of happy married life. Mr. and Mrs. Powers extend their thanks to the kind givers of their many presents.

Almost Lost His Life.

S. A. Stid, of Mason, Mich., will never forget his terrible exposure to a merciless storm. "It gave me a dreadful cold," he writes, "that caused severe pains in my chest, so it was hard for me to breathe. A neighbor gave me several doses of Dr. King's New Discovery which brought great relief. The doctor said I was on the verge of pneumonia, but to continue with the Discovery. I did so and two bottles completely cured me." Use only this quick, safe, reliable medicine for coughs, colds, or any throat or lung trouble. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by H. S. Pushard of Bethel; Chas. Fernald Nathan Reynolds of Canton; H. J. Reynolds of Ridlonville C. A. Gardiner of Dixfield.

It costs an average of eighteen cents a school day per child to put the rising generation of this country through the elementary and high school, according to figures compiled by the United States Bureau of Education.

How She Cured Her Husband

"For five years my husband suffered with his stomach. The medicine he took only gave relief for a while, nothing cured, writes Mrs. Sarah Baker of Nottinghill, Mo. "Our merchant bought some of Chamberlain's medicines last fall and also received some free trial samples of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. He gave us some of them and I wanted my husband to try them. He said it would do no good. His stomach had been troubling him worse than ever. At last on Friday I told him if he would not take those tablets I was going to send for a doctor, and he said he would take them. By Monday he was like another man. The blues were gone, no more trouble with his stomach, and the best part is that the trouble has not returned. I cannot praise Chamberlain's Tablets too highly."

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Democratic "Economy."

Kennebec Journal.

If the State of Maine had occasion to use a strip of paper 100 miles long, and was obliged to buy that paper and have it cut up into 10-inch lengths and have each of these short lengths printed, counted, made up into packages, addressed and shipped to every city and town in the State—well, if all this were to be done we would think it quite a job and quite an expense, wouldn't we?

Now if some one with authority to do it should increase the amount of paper to be purchased (and the work correspondingly) to more than 500 miles—a strip of paper that would reach from Ft. Kent to Kittery—we would think said person in authority had pretty strong reasons for increasing the State's expenses, now wouldn't we?

Well, he had!

Our secretary of State, in strict observance of the letter of an untried law, instructed the Waterville Sentinel, which was acting under a void and illegal contract, to print more than one million ballots, at State expense, for use in the primary balloting.

It is interesting to note, at this point, that this marvel of official extravagance, the Hon. Cyrus W. Davis, secretary of State, was the erstwhile State printer, while holding the office controlling the work which, as contracting party, he would do. When the Kennebec Journal called the attention of the secretary of State to this palpable violation of the law, he fought blindly to maintain both positions. The Governor and Council refused to invoke the law, which carried penalty, and referred the matter to the Supreme Court. The latter body decided, unanimously, that the law was plain, its intent obvious, and that it was a wise provision by a deliberative law-making body.

Then this nimbly humbling State official was obliged to apparently sever his connection with the publishing company, with which as its head he had contracted as State printer. The Governor and Council then made "temporary" arrangements for State printing until legal and permanent contracts could be made.

This "temporary" arrangement with Mr. Cyrus W. Davis' paper (now publicly acknowledged to be under control of Hon. William R. Pattangall, attorney general of Maine) has existed for eight months. Under this illegal combination by official and private connivance, Mr. Davis as secretary of State has obeyed, in all its manifold inconsistency, the primary ballot provisions with such results as we shall mention below.

For the sake of the Davis-Pattangall printing plant, the State of Maine, because of its June primary balloting, must print for seven times as many ballots as were ever cast in any one election in the State.

More than one million ballots were printed and distributed for the primaries of 1912.

The paper used weighed 20 tons.

More than 33,000 Socialist ballots were printed and sent out; while in the election of 1910 only 3,611 Socialist votes were cast.

In 1910, Franklin county cast eight Socialist ballots. To that county for the primary balloting this year, 650 ballots were sent—50 more as many as there was any likelihood of using.

In 1910, Penobscot county cast three Socialist ballots; 2,000 Socialist ballots were sent there for the primaries.

In 1910, three hundred towns and plantations cast no Socialist vote; to these towns were sent 21,000 Socialist ballots in June, 1912.

In 1910, sixty-eight towns cast one Socialist ballot each; to these 68 towns were sent 10,000 Socialist ballots for the primaries.

In 1910, thirty-eight towns cast two Socialist ballots each; to these 38 towns were sent 10,000 Socialist ballots.

The above are but a few specimens of Democratic "rigid economy" and "enforcement of law." Here are some of the Pythagoric Platform "strict business principles."

Why does not the State auditor issue a bulletin to inform the trusting public about this?

Democratic Bridges are falling about "economies" practiced which have enabled them to carry on the State affairs with not quite twice the State tax which any Republican administration has had. Wonderful, isn't it, in the light of the above facts and others just as potent?

IF THE SUN SHOULD EXPIRE.

By Rev. Frederic Campbell, D. Sc. in The Christian Endeavor World.

New stars occasionally flash out in the sky, but they are the only kind that are ever reported missing.

Our sun is a star; and, as it has hung in its place for many years, nothing seems more certain than that its light will be enjoyed for ages to come.

Some day, however, it will shine no more, for all fires must ultimately burn themselves out. But, while its extinction will be very gradual unless something extraordinary happens, it is a matter of no little interest to consider the results that would follow the sudden and instantaneous putting out of the light of day.

If we could foresee that this event were about to happen, we could watch for it as for an eclipse. Shielding our eyes with smoked or densely colored glass, we should behold the sun with all its accustomed glory one instant, and the next—shall we say?—we should see nothing.

No, this is not correct. The sun is a huge spherical body, with a diameter of 866,000 miles; this being so, the center of its disc, as seen from earth, is 433,000 miles nearer to us than its edge.

Now light comes to us streaming from its source, as water does. When the fireman suddenly shuts off the water at the nozzle of his hose, all that had previously left continues to come; and, if ten feet farther back another fireman at the same instant does the same thing, the water from the first and nearest nozzle will stop, while that from the second and farther still comes. If the sun's light should all expire in an instant, that light received by our eyes from the edge of the disc, having 433,000 miles farther to travel than at the centre, would continue to pour upon our vision when the centre had ceased to glow. And, as light travels 186,000 miles a second, the edge of the sun would disappear two and one-third seconds after the centre.

This is not much time; yet, when we can divide seconds into fractions, it is certainly appreciable.

Moving pictures are taken and displayed sixteen a second. Thirty-seven moving pictures could be taken or seen in the time required for the sun to disappear. You could count ten during the process.

First the observer would see a little dark spot at the sun's centre; this would swiftly spread in all directions, each instant leaving a narrowing ring of light, or "annulus," until a point would be reached where all would appear precisely like an "annular eclipse," in which the moon does not quite cover the sun's face. Finally the sun would appear no longer, and all would be over.

While this would take but two and one-third seconds of time, it would not be seen from the earth till eight and one-third minutes after it occurred; for it takes that time for the light to pour from the sun across the intervening gulf of 93,000,000 miles; and, when the sun was stricken out, the light that had left during the last eight minutes would still continue to come, and we should see what had happened so long ago, even as in the case of the new star in Perseus, and learned later that its flame had sprung up three hundred years before. Indeed, many a star is so remote that, if it were suddenly extinguished, the human race would still enjoy its light for centuries or millenniums.

Now, if the sun were extinguished during the night, and the full moon were then shining in the sky, only those living on the earth's opposite side could watch the expiring sun, while ours would be the privilege of watching the expiring moon. For all the sun's light, being derived from the sun and passed on to us by reflection, would fail in an instant right and eight-third minutes after the sun had expired, the moon and the earth being at equal distance from that luminary.

The moon would then no longer be seen. The only way in which we could know of its position would be by "occultation" of certain stars, as its dark mass continued coursing around the sky, and came between them and us.

But, if the sun and moon both expired, the stars would still shine on with brave unconcern. And this would be during the entire twenty-four hours, so that we should not be left entirely without light. For each star is a sun, shining with the strength conferred upon it by its Maker, and in no wise dependent, as the moon is, upon the light of our sun.

But there is a class of so-called stars which are more properly designated as planets. These look very much like the sun—in general until examined by the telescope, when they are much nearer to us.

They belong, in fact, to our own solar system, and, being brother and sister worlds of our own, they are like the moon in that they derive their light from the sun and reflect it to us from the sky where they travel.

Of these there are seven, five of which are visible to the naked eye. All these would cease to shine when the sun no longer shone upon them. Only, as it takes time for the sun's light to reach the earth, so it takes time to reach each planet, and additional time to be reflected from the planet to the earth.

Mercury, being always nearly in the sun's direction, would expire almost at the same instant.

Venus, brightest of all celestial orbs, if this side of the sun, would do similarly, but if on the farther side Venus would get the report of the sun's expiration six minutes after the event, and would require fourteen minutes to send it to us, making twenty minutes of intervening time; but, as eight of this would be taken up by the sun's direct tidings to earth, it would be about twelve minutes after we saw sun or moon expire when Venus would also disappear.

Jupiter would vanish an hour and a half, and Neptune eight hours, after the sun and moon.

Thus we should find ourselves left alone with the fixed stars, all suns, yet giving us but little light and no heat.

Consternation would at once seize upon all mankind. Not only would all human, animal, and vegetable life be doomed for want of light and heat, but within the space of a few days the globe would be a frozen and lifeless mass from pole to pole, and so far as useful existence is concerned the entire solar system would in God's otherwise splendid universe occupy the place of only so much worthless junk.

Brooklyn, N. Y.

Must Have Three Certificates.

The Rev. Mabel R. Witham, pastor of the Church of Immortalism in the "exclusive" Back Bay quarter of Boston, has decided not to celebrate marriages unless the parties can produce three certificates. The first is to be one from a doctor stating that they have passed a medical inspection, the second must be from a banker or other responsible person to the effect that the would-be husband has demonstrated his ability to maintain a wife in decent circumstances, and the third should certify that the bride has received a proper training in domestic science and the mysteries of house hold management.—London Answers.

True Benevolence.

It is useless to talk of sacrificing self to others unless there is something in self that others need. It is the full and rich life, not the poor and empty one, that can fill and enrich others. True benevolence, then, must obtain that which it would give. To acquire honorably money or leisure or power, to cultivate health and happiness, to gain knowledge and wisdom, to develop interest in human affairs, to cherish just principles and generous impulses, to fill the mind with pure and noble thoughts and the heart with tender love and sympathy—these things are essential.

Utterly Wretched

Nervous Prostration Long Endured Before Remedy Was Found.

Miss Minerva Reminger, Upper Hern, Pa., writes: "For several years I suffered nervous prostration, and was utterly wretched. I lived on bread and beef tea because my stomach would not retain anything else. I took many remedies, but obtained no relief until I took Hood's Sarsaparilla, when I began to gain at once. Am now cured."

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Get it today in usual liquid form or chocolated tablets called Sarsatabs.

ANDOVER.

Miss Maggie Stuart is spending two weeks at Rumford Corner, the guest of Mrs. Dr. Stuart.

A lawn party was held at the home of Dr. Leslie, Tuesday evening, under the auspices of the Universalist society. Ice cream and cake was served. A concert was given by the band.

Miss Mattie Swain of Rumford is spending a few days with Retha Perkins at So. Andover.

Walter Akers spent a few days at the Lakes recently.

Mrs. Geo. Abbott, who fell and dislocated her hip July 4 is improving.

Frank Field and wife came from the Upper Dam, Saturday, to see their daughter, Mrs. Milton Crossman and children, who are visiting Mrs. Olive Dresser. Mr. Field and wife returned to the Lakes, Sunday.

Mrs. Celia Holleran, a domestic in the summer home of Mrs. Pauline Blanchard, died suddenly of apoplexy, Thursday morning. She was in her usual health until a short time before her death. Mrs. Holleran is survived by one sister, Mrs. Katie Lucy, who arrived Friday. The remains were carried to Boston for burial.

Lizzie Baker, who has been working several weeks for Mrs. Geo. Philbrook, on Farmer's Hill, returned to her home in So. Andover, Saturday.

Barbara Cushman left Tuesday for Philadelphia, where she will resume her duties in the hospital.

May Poor of Rumford is the guest of her uncle, Winthrop Akers and family.

The Ladies' Aid met Wednesday with Mrs. Y. A. Thurston.

Henry Porter of Lewiston was in town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Foss of Paris were guests of Mr. Oscar Damon and wife recently.

Mrs. Henry L. Poor was quite ill a few days last week.

Miss Celia Abbott and sister are visiting friends in Riddonville this week.

Miss Alice Farrar of Rumford visited at J. L. Bailey's, recently.

Mrs. Chas. Newton is visiting friends in Rumford and vicinity.

Lone Mt. Grange met Saturday evening for its regular meeting. The first and second degrees were conferred on one candidate. Lemonade and cake were served at intermission.

The following officers of Cabot Lodge were installed by Dr. F. E. Wheet of Rumford, on Friday evening, July 19: C. C., Ralph Thurston; V. C., Lewis Akers; P., Wirt Lovejoy; M. W., Alvin Averill; K. of R. and S., Samuel Marston; M. F., Merrill Howey; M. E., Frank Newton; M. A., Peter Learned, Jr.; I. G., Wint Akers; O. G., Sheridan Richards. After the installation ice cream, cake and coffee were served.

Mrs. James Houghton from Boston is the guest of her son, G. J. Swett and family.

John Pressey and granddaughter, Miss Ethel Philbrick, with friends were in town Sunday with his 1912 Reo. Miss Philbrick has driven this car nearly 600 miles.

Mr. Thomas Stone is expected in town this week to spend the summer. He will be the guest of Mrs. Girdler Swett.

Jonas Amburg of Rumford was in town Monday on business.

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"BY THEIR FRUITS YE SHALL KNOW THEM."

One of our first duties is to our neighbor, especially to the unfortunate. The world has little use for a man who is fortunate enough to have been prosperous in the affairs of life, but who manifests little or no sympathy for his less fortunate neighbor who may be, in distress. A State that turns a deaf ear to the cries of the unfortunate within her borders is not wholly in the spirit that happily is charactoristic of our 20th Century era.

Maine has not been unmindful of the suffering of her unfortunates. Her policy has been to answer the cries of her orphans, her homeless little ones, her crippled, her blind, her feeble minded, and her destitute, and year by year, and step by step, progress has been made in this direction.

Many have been the demands upon our charitable institutions which could not be met for lack of funds, but the constant tendency toward larger funds and greater benefactions has been commendable and encouraging.

But listen—A new guardian has been appointed over these orphans and unfortunates and what are the results? We said in these columns a few weeks ago that the Democratic party had, during its two years of power, cut down the appropriations to Maine's charitable institutions nearly one hundred thousand dollars. We give below the actual figures to show that the total amount taken away from these institutions by the present administration is one hundred fifty thousand nine hundred dollars. Think of the suffering that might have been relieved in a measure in this beloved state of ours but for this wholesale scrimping of these institutions.

It would be hard to justify this cold blooded program, even if the State were really short of finances, but to apply it when the highest tax in the history of the State had been assessed, and then for the leaders to point with such unpardonable pride to the thousands of dollars that they have taken from the tax payers of Maine and stowed away in the State's strong box, while the cries of the orphans cannot be heard and the tears of the suffering cannot be dried for lack of funds, certainly can find no justification in the minds of any of us who has hearts that feel for our unfortunate neighbor.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

The work of the following institutions is strictly charitable, and seeks to relieve the conditions of children and unfortunate adults of either sex, who are positively unable to pay.

	1909	1910	1911	1912
Bangor Children's Hospital,	$1,500	$1,500	$1,000	$1,000
Children's Heart Work Soc.,	500	500	300	300
Healey Asylum,	4,000	4,000	3,000	3,000
Lewiston & Auburn Children's Home,	1,000	1,000	500	500
Maine Children's Home,	1,250	1,250	1,000	1,000
Maine Home for Friendless Boys,	2,000	2,000	1,500	1,500
Temporary Home for Women and Children,	3,500	3,500	2,500	2,500
Holy Innocents' Home,	2,500	2,500	2,000	2,000
St. Elizabeth's Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum,	2,500	2,500	2,000	2,000
Maine Institution for the Blind,	15,000	15,000	10,000	10,000
	$33,750	$33,750	$23,500	$23,500

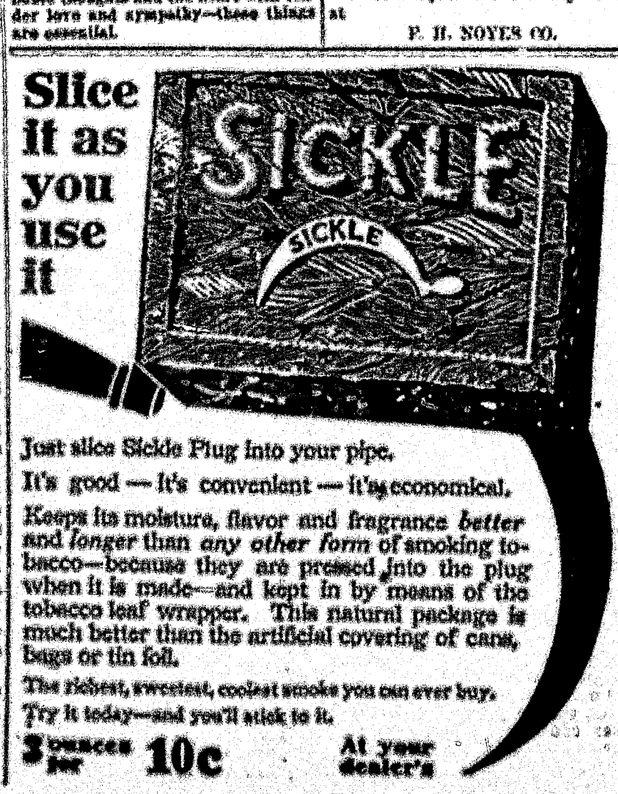
The work of the following institutions is charitable when the beneficiaries are unable to pay. Those who are able to pay are required to do so but none are barred who are unable to pay as long as appropriations hold out.

	1909	1910	1911	1912
Augusta General Hospital,	$6,000	$6,000	$4,000	$4,000
Bar Harbor Med. & Sur. Hospital,	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000
Bath City Hospital,	3,500	3,500	2,000	2,000
Central Maine Assn. for relief and control of tuberculosis,	1,000	1,000		
Maine General Hospital,	14,000	14,000	6,500	6,500
Eastern Maine General Hospital,	6,500	6,500	5,000	5,000
Girls' Orphanage,	2,500	2,500	2,500	2,500
Good Samaritan Home Assn.,	1,200	1,200	1,200	1,200
Hayes' Young Women's Home,	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
Hospital of the Daughters of Wisdom,	2,500	500	500	500
Knox County General Hospital,	4,000	2,000	2,500	2,500
Maine Eye and Ear Infirmary,	5,000	5,000	3,500	3,500
Maine State Sanatorium,	47,500	12,500	12,500	12,500
Northern Maine General Hospital,	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000
St. Mary's General Hospital,	10,000	10,000	7,500	7,500
Trull Hospital Aid Assn.,	1,000	1,000	500	500
Waldo County General Hospital,	2,500	1,500	1,000	1,000
Maine School for Deaf,	29,500	29,500	22,000	22,000
Children's Hospital,	45,000	10,000	4,000	10,000
	$186,700	$111,700	$81,200	$86,200

SUMMARY.

Appropriation for 1909,	$220,450	
Appropriations for 1910,	145,450	
Total for last two years of Republican administration,		$365,900
Appropriated for 1911,	$105,000	
Appropriated for 1912,	110,000	
Total for two years of Democratic administration,		$215,000
Amount taken away from these charitable institutions during the two years of Democratic administration,		$150,900

"Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren ye have done it unto me."



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STATE CHAT.

An addition to the museum at the old York jail has been received. It is a copper powder tank for 6 inch gun ammunition, which was taken out of the Battleship Maine, destroyed by a Spanish sub-marine mine in Havana Harbor, fourteen years ago. This article which has been under water all these years is still in good state of preservation. It is contributed by Ensign Ralph Dennett of the U. S. Battleship Washington.

The eighth annual celebration in honor of St. Rocco will be held at the Maine State Fair Grounds, Lewiston, Aug. 14, 1912.

Hon. Charles P. Taft, brother of President Taft, who is summering at Biddeford Pool with a party of friends, visited Bath, Saturday, and dined at New Meadows Inn.

By the will of the late Mrs. Annie Frye, filed in the probate court July 29, the Children's Hospital in Portland will receive $3,000 and the Maine Institute for the Blind at Portland, $2,000.

The cover of The Youth's Companion this week has pictures of the Olympic stadium at Stockholm and some American contestants, among others being Andrew Rockaleris, Marathon runner of Chicago.

RUMFORD.

Miss Jean Moir is working in the office of Curtis Bros., as bookkeeper through vacation.

Miss Hattie Gates of Worcester is the guest of her brother, Geo. E. Gates and family for several weeks.

Tom Halkett of Bridgton was the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Ella Brown, Thursday of last week.

Robley Morrison and wife are spending a two weeks' vacation at Norway Lake.

Dr. C. M. Bisbee was in Boston, Friday, on business connected with the Rumford & Mexico Water District.

Miss Gertrude Bartowe of So. Framingham is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. C. M. Bisbee, for a short time.

Miss Elizabeth Quaid resumed her duties this week at the International Paper Co., after having spent a two weeks' vacation at Grafton.

Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Pratt and Miss Hattie Varney are spending their vacation at Bailey's Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wishart arrived this week from New York, where they spent their honeymoon. Mrs. Wishart has lately returned from Scotland.

Ulric Metevier is able to be around on crutches after spraining his ankle.

Miss Gertrude Morse of Chicago, Ill., is the guest of Norma Gates.

Miss Vida Springer of Franklin is the guest of J. E. Stephens and family at their camp at the Rangeleys.

Dan Leader returned Friday from Boston, where he has been on a business trip.

Thursday evening a dance was held at the Institute Building, and was quite well attended. Miss Lillian Hillman acted as pianist.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Martin of Bangor were the guests of Mrs. A. K. Martin over Sunday.

Mrs. Elisha Stetson of Dixfield was the guest of Mrs. Lewis Irish for the week-end.

Mrs. Philip Pottle returned Saturday from Lewiston, where she has spent several days as the guest of Mr. Pottle's mother.

Mrs. M. T. Stanley has been confined to the house for the past week on account of illness.

C. S. Osgood and wife went to the Lakes, Saturday, to spend several weeks at their camp at So. Rangeley.

Walter Gray of So. Paris was in town Thursday on the hearing in the bankruptcy of Jerry Tonitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bailey, Mr. Fred Bailey and Miss Miriam Jacobs of Berlin were the week end guests of Chas. Jarnelson and family.

Miss Gladys Robinson of Auburn was the guest of Miss Eunice Lyford over Sunday.

Mrs. Shepherd accompanied by the Misses Dorothy and Esther and Master ... and left Saturday morning for Castine and Bar Harbor.

Miss Ella Ames resumed her duties in the post office Thursday, after having spent a ten days' vacation in Boston and vicinity.

Geo. Holman and wife of Washington, D. C., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fernald over Sunday.

Rev. Lucian M. Robinson of Philadelphia is a guest of Mrs. Nahum Moore.

Mr. M. L. Griffin was called to New York last week on account of the serious illness of his mother.

Rev. W. T. Carter and wife left Monday for their vacation which will be spent in Waterbury, Conn.

Mrs. Huldah Jackson of Auburn was the guest last week of her brother, Dr. C. M. Bisbee.

Mrs. D. C. York is spending her vacation at her home in Island Pond. Mrs. M. T. Stanley is substituting for her in the office of the Rumford Falls Light & Water Co.

The engagement of Miss Isabelle Dixon and Mr. Geo. Clunie is announced.

Mrs. Ben. Schwind arrived home Sunday after two weeks spent with her sister, Mrs. H. L. Steinfeld of Berlin.

The nine year old son of John Hayes of Lochness Road, fell off from the Merry Go Round, which was running on the flats, thereby injuring his collar bone so that he was obliged to undergo a slight operation at Dr. McCarty's hospital Sunday. The little chap is doing well now.

The barn of David Royer burned Sunday night. Mr. Royer was away and evidently some one had been there doubtless smoking and dropped a match. There was insurance enough to cover the loss nearly.

Mrs. Owne Smith and her niece, Mrs. Jack Fallo, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday at the Lakes.

The Misses Alice and Merna Thomas of Roxbury were the guests of their cousin, Miss Judith Thomas, Saturday, leaving for Portland early Sunday morning with Mr. F. E. Rendall, where they will be the guests of Mrs. Rendall at Falmouth Foreside.

Miss Jane McGlivincy left Tuesday for ten days' vacation spent at her old home in Fredericton.

Mrs. N. B. Dudley of Locke's Mills, Mrs. Geo. N. Yeaton of New Canaan, Miss Cora Perham and Mildred Perham of Woodstock were in town Friday.

Lena M. Felt spent Sunday at West Poland.

D. C. Murray, baggage master at M. C. R. R. visited his family in Lewiston over Sunday.

E. A. Allen of Wilmington has been the guest of F. P. Putnam and family for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Pettingill returned Saturday from a short vacation spent at their camp on the Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Thomas of Portland were the guests of Miss Judith Thomas, Monday.

Judge McCarthy was in Lewiston, Saturday, on business.

A. E. Stearns, L. W. Blanchard, W. H. S. Ellingwood and E. A. Allen left Monday for a three days' fishing trip.

Miss Emelda Belliveau is spending a two weeks' vacation from her duties in the E. K. Day store, at Old Orchard.

Miss Delia Rutherford of Rumford Center spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Lewis Dowling.

Mrs. Martin Hamblett left Thursday for her home in Carthage.

Miss Amy Lovejoy returned Saturday from Portland, where she has been spending a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Ruth Peabody is substituting for Miss Annie Meehan in the McKenzie Mercantile Co.

Stephen Gates of Portland was the guest of his brother, Geo. E. Gates and family over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ostrom will occupy the house owned by Mr. Greene and situated on Rumford Ave.

Gladys Hanley returned Sunday from Howard's Pond, where she has been a guest at the Dunton camp for several weeks.

Mrs. Henry Elliott and daughter, Beatrice, left Monday for their home in Chicago after having spent several weeks as the guest of F. B. Martin and family.

Daniel E. Dickey, dispatcher for the M. C. R. R., is taking a two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. Grace Murphy of Portland is visiting her brother, D. E. Hayes.

Miss Mattie C. Brooks returned Sunday from two weeks' vacation spent at her home in Corinna.

Merton C. Titus is substituting for D. E. Dickey in the dispatcher office of the M. C. R. R.

Mrs. Wm. Walker died on Wednesday, July 24th at her home on Franklin street, after an illness of eight months. Mrs. Walker was born in Peru about seventy years ago. She was an invalid the greater part of her life. She leaves two children to mourn her loss, Mrs. R. M. Woodsum of Franklin street and F. O. Walker of Rumford Ave. The funeral was on Friday afternoon at her home. Rev. Geo. A. Martin of Bangor attended the funeral assisted by Rev. W. T. Carter. The interment took place in West Peru.

Mrs. Allan Reed is substituting in the Rumford Falls Trust Co. for a few days.

Geo. A. Hutchins was called to Portland, Wednesday, on business.

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A FEW NICE THINGS TO EAT

Simple Recipes That Afford Agreeable Change When Appetites Become Jaded.

Yellow Cucumbers—Take six large yellow cucumbers, peel and cut in half, remove seeds and cut in pieces about two inches; add two and a half handfuls of salt and leave stand over night. Next morning wash off and lay pieces on cloth to dry. Put one quart of vinegar on to boil and add three cupfuls of sugar. Put in cucumbers, few at a time, have jars ready when cucumber is clear, but not soft, then put in jars; add some white mustard seed and seal.

Pickled Onions—Take a half peck of little white onions, leave in water over night, peel and put in water again over night, adding a handful of salt. Next morning lay onions on cloth to dry. Boil three quarts of vinegar, three tablespoonfuls of sugar, one-third handful of round alspice, four or five bay leaves, one-half handful of whole black pepper. Put onions in jar and cover with the vinegar; add a half teaspoonful of ground red pepper. Tie cloth over to keep steam in.

Dill Pickles—Take one-half peck of dill pickles, 15 cents' worth of dill. Wash pickles and lay a layer of dill on bottom of a one-half gallon jar, then a layer of pickles, and so on until all is used, last layer being dill. Cover with enough salt water that will carry an egg. Put plate on top and a stone, so as to keep pickles well under water.

Good Quince Jelly—Take half a peck of quince, wash and cut in quarters and add enough water to cover even, boil till soft, then put in bag and let drain all night. Add a cupful of sugar to every cup of juice. Boil until a little on saucer thickens. You can do the same with grapes, crab apples, and skins of peaches and pears. Do not add water when making grape jelly.

CARE OF MILK IN THE HOME

Frequently Contains Bacteria in Such Large Numbers It Is Not Safe for the Children.

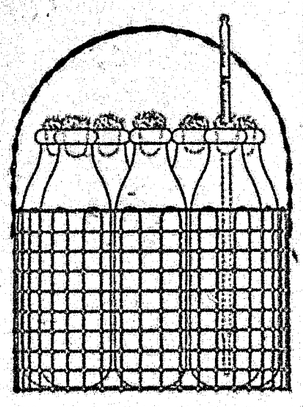
Milk delivered in the cities in the summer months frequently contains bacteria in such large numbers that it is not a safe food for children, especially for infants whose food consists entirely of milk. When it is impossible to obtain milk entirely free from suspicion, it is advisable to pasteurize the milk.

Pasteurization should be done in such a way that disease-producing bacteria as well as those likely to produce intestinal disturbances are destroyed without injuring the flavor or the nutritive value of the milk. This may be accomplished in the home by the use of a simple improvised outfit.

Milk is most conveniently pasteurized in the bottles in which it is delivered. To do this use a small pail with a perforated false bottom. An inverted pie tin with a few holes punched in it will answer for this purpose. This will raise the bottles from the bottom of the pail, thus allowing a free circulation of the water and preventing bumping of the bottles.

Punch a hole through the cap of one of the bottles and insert a thermometer—a good one with the scale etched on the glass should be used. Set the bottles of milk in the pail and fill the pail with water nearly to the level of the milk. Put the pail on the stove or over a gas flame and heat it until the thermometer in the milk shows not less than 145 degrees nor more than 150 degrees. The bottles should then be removed and allowed to stand from 20 to 30 minutes.

The punctured cap should be replaced with a new one or the bottle covered with an inverted cup. After



Wire Basket holding bottles for pasteurization of milk.

30 minutes the milk should be cooled as quickly as possible. Set the bottles first in warm water, to avoid breaking by sudden change in temperature; Replace this water slowly with cold water. After cooling the milk should be kept at the lowest available temperature.

This method may be employed to retard the souring of milk or cream for ordinary purposes.

KEEP MILK COOL IN SUMMER

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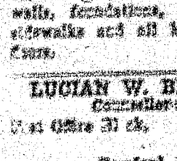

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ORIGINAL SENTRY.

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A few days ago a wealthy citizen of Boston took a seat at a hotel in a resort by him not far from the city. After eating a meal at the table he was accosted by a waiter with the question: "Shall you like the same again?" "No," he replied. "Then after another meal" "No," he replied. "Then after another meal" "No," he replied. "Then after another meal

MY LADY OF THE NORTH

CHAPTER XXXIII.

After the Struggle.

A young officer, whose red face was rendered extremely conspicuous by the blue of his uniform, led the rush of his soldiers as they came tumbling gallantly into the hall.

"Up there, men!" he cried, catching sight of me, and pointing. "Get that Johnny with the girl."

As they sprang eagerly forward over the dead bodies littering the floor at the foot of the stairs, Brennan scrambled unsteadily to his feet, and halted them with imperious gesture.

"Leave him alone!" he commanded. "That is the commander of the Confederate detachment who came to our aid. The guerillas have fled down the hallway, and are most of them outside by now. Wayne," he turned and glanced up at us, his face instantly darkening at the tableau, "kindly assist the ladies to descend; we must get [illegible] of this shambles."

He lifted them one by one and with ceremonies politeness across the ghastly pile of dead and wounded men.

"Escort them to the library," he suggested, as I hesitated. "That room will probably be found clear."

I was somewhat surprised that Brennan should not have come personally to the aid of his wife, but as he ignored her presence utterly, I at once offered her my arm, and silently led the way to the room designated, the others following as best they might. The apartment was unoccupied, exhibiting no signs of the late struggle, and I found comfortable resting places for all. Miss Minor was yet sobbing softly, her face hidden upon her mother's shoulder, and I felt constrained to speak with her.

"I shall go at once," I said kindly, "to ascertain all I can regarding Lieutenant Caton, and will bring you word."

She thanked me with a glance of her dark eyes clouded with tears, but as I turned hastily away to execute this errand, Mrs. Brennan laid restraining hand upon my arm.

"Captain Wayne," she said with much seriousness, "you are very unselfish, but you must not go until your own wounds have been attended to; they may be far more serious than you apprehend."

As I gazed at her, surprised by the anxiety she so openly displayed, I chanced to behold myself reflected within a large mirror directly across the room. One glance was sufficient to convince me her words were fully justified. My remains of uniform literally clung to me in rags, my bare shoulder looked a confused mass of battered flesh, my hair was matted, and my face blackened by powder stains and streaked with blood.

"I certainly do appear disreputable enough," I admitted; "but I can assure you it is nothing sufficiently serious to require immediate attention."

As I stepped without and closed the door behind me, I was at once startled by the rapid firing of shot from the rear of the house, and the next moment I encountered the young, red-faced officer hurrying along the hallway at the head a squad of Federal cavalrymen. Recognizing me in the gloom of the passage he paused suddenly.

"I owe you a belated apology, Captain," he exclaimed cordially, "for having mistaken you for one of those miscreants, but really your appearance was not flattering."

"Having viewed myself since within a mirror," I replied, "I am prepared to acknowledge the mistake a most natural one. However, I am grateful to be out of the scrape, and can scarcely find fault with my rescuers. Five minutes more would have witnessed the end."

"We rode hard," he said, "and were in saddle within fifteen minutes after the arrival of your courier. You evidently made a hard fight of it; the house bears testimony to a terrible struggle. We are rejoiced to learn that Lieutenant Caton was merely stunned; we believed him dead at first, and he is far too fine a fellow to go in that way."

"He is truly living, then?" I exclaimed, greatly relieved. "Miss Minor, to whom he is engaged, is sorrowing over his possible fate in the library yonder. Could not two of your men assist him to her? She would do more to hasten his recovery than any one."

"Certainly," was the instant response. "Haines, you and McDonald get the officer out of the front room; carry him in there where the ladies are, and then rejoin us."

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I left, remembering then my own need. By using the back stairway I avoided unpleasant contact with the traces of conflict yet visible at the front of the house, and finally discovered a bathroom which afforded facilities for cleansing my flesh wounds and making my general appearance more presentable. I found I could do little to improve the condition of my clothing, but after making such

A Gentle Hand Was Stroking Back the Hair From Off My Temples.

changes for the better as were possible, soaking the clotted blood from out my hair, and washing the powder stains from my face, I felt I should no longer prove an object of aversion even to the critical eyes of the women, who would fully realize the cause for my torn and begrimed uniform.

A glance from the window told me the Federal cavalrymen were bearing out the dead and depositing them beyond view of the house in the deserted negro cabins. Ebers and one or two of my own men were standing near, carefully scanning the uncovered faces as they were borne past, while scraps of conversation overheard brought the information that the long dining room where I had passed the night on guard had been converted into a temporary hospital.

Irresolute as to my next action, I passed out into the upper hall. It was deserted and strangely silent, seemingly far removed from all those terrible scenes so lately enacted in the rooms beneath. My head by this time throbbed with pain; I desired to be alone, to think, to map out my future course before proceeding down the stairs to meet the others. With this in view I sank down in complete weariness upon a convenient settee. My heavy head sank back upon the arm of the settee, and deep sleep closed my eyes. It was in my dreams I felt it first—a light, moist touch upon my burning forehead—and I imagined I was a child once more, back at the old home, caressed by the soft hand of my mother. But as consciousness slowly returned I began to realize dimly where I was, and that I was no longer alone. A gentle hand was stroking back the hair from off my temples, while the barest uplift of my eyelids revealed the folds of a dark blue skirt pressing close to my side. Instantly I realized who must be the wearer, and remained motionless until I could better control my first unwise impulse.

She spoke no word, and I cautiously opened my eyes and glanced up into her face. For a time she remained unaware of my awakening, and sat there silently stroking my forehead, her gaze fixed musingly upon the window at the farther end of the hall. Doubtless she had been sitting thus for some time, and had become absorbed in her own reflections, for I lay there drinking in her beauty for several moments before she chanced to glance downward and observe that I was awake. I think the very intensity of my gaze awakened her from reverie, for she turned almost with a start and looked down upon me. As our eyes met, a warm wave of color dyed her throat and cheeks crimson.

"Why," she exclaimed in momentary confusion. "I supposed I should know before you awoke, and have ample time to escape unobserved. I discovered you lying here. You were resting very uncomfortably when I first came, and I felt it my duty to render your position as easy as possible. I did not forget that your fatigue came in our defense."

"Could you not say in yours?" I corrected. "But I have already been more than repaid. Your hand upon my brow was far more restful than I can tell you—its soft stroking mingled in my dreams even before I awoke. It brought back to me the thought of my mother. I do not think I have had a woman's hand press back my hair since I was a child."

"There was a look of pain upon your face as you lay sleeping, and I thought it might ease you somewhat. I have had some experience as a nurse, you know," she explained quietly. "You mentioned your mother; is she yet living?"

"She is in Richmond, stopping with friends, but since my capture we have lost all trace of each other. I was reported as having been killed in action, and I doubt if she [illegible] yet knows the truth, everything is so confused in the capital that it is impossible to trace any one not directly connected with the army, once you lose exact knowledge of their whereabouts."

"Your father, then, is dead?"

"He yielded his life the first year of the war; and our plantation near Charlottesville has been constantly in the track of the armies. One rather important battle, indeed, was fought upon it, so you may realize that it is now desolate and utterly unfit for habitation."

"The house yet stands?"

"The chimney and one wall alone remained when I was last there," I replied, glad of the interest she exhibited. "Fortunately two of the negro cabins were yet standing. Doubtless these will form the nucleus of our home when the war ceases; they will prove a trifle better than the mere sky."

"The south is certainly paying a terrible price for rebellion," she said soberly, her fine eyes filled with tears. "I am sure I have tarried here quite as long as I should, now that I can be of no further service."

As she gathered her skirts in her hand preparatory to descending the stairs, I yielded to temptation and stopped her. Right or wrong I must yet have one word more.

"I beg of you do not desert me so soon. This may prove our final meeting—indeed, I fear it must be; surely, then, it need not be so brief a one?"

"Our final meeting?"

She echoed my words as though scarcely comprehending their meaning.

"Yes," I said, rising and standing before her. "How can we hope it shall be otherwise? I am not free to remain here, even were it best for other reasons, for I am a soldier under orders. You undoubtedly will proceed north at the earliest possible moment. There is scarcely a probability that in the great wide world we shall meet again."

"The war will soon be over; perhaps then you may come north also."

"I scarcely expect to do so. My work then will be to join with my comrades in an effort to rebuild the shattered fortunes of Virginia. When the lines of lives diverge so widely as ours must, the chances are indeed few that they ever meet again."

"But surely you can remain here until we leave?" she questioned, evidently striving not to reveal the depth of interest she felt in the decision. "It will not be until tomorrow that all details are arranged so as to permit of our departure. I had supposed you would certainly be with us until then."

"Mrs. Brennan!" I exclaimed almost passionately, "do not tempt me! Your wish is a temptation most difficult to resist."

"Why resist, then?"

She did not look at me, but stood twisting a handkerchief nervously through her fingers. The abrupt question startled me almost into full confession, but fortunately my eyes chanced to fall upon her wedding-ring, and instantly I crushed the mad words back into my throat.

"Because it is right," I replied slowly, feeling each sentence as a death-blow. "For me to remain can mean only one thing. For that I am ready enough, if I thought you desired it, but I dare not choose such a course myself."

"You speak in riddles. What is the one thing?"

"A personal meeting with Major Brennan."

The high color deserted her cheeks, and her eyes met mine in sudden inquiry. "Oh, no, no!" she exclaimed with energy. "You and Frank must never meet in that way. You mean a duel?"

I bowed gravely. "I was permitted to aid in defense of this house only by pledging myself to Major Brennan afterwards."

"But why need it be—at least now that you have stood together as comrades?"

"I fear," I said quietly, "that fact will not count for much. We both fought inspired by your presence."

"Mine!" I hardly knew how to interpret her tone.

"Certainly; you cannot be ignorant that Major Brennan's dislike is based upon your friendship for me."

"But there is no reason," she stammered. "He has no cause—"

"His reason I must leave him to explain," I interrupted, to relieve her evident embarrassment. "His words, however, were extremely explicit; and to ignore them by departure is to imperil my own reputation in both armies. I would do so for no one else in the world but you."

"How can I ever thank you?" she asked gravely. "Captain Wayne, you make me trust you utterly, and place me constantly in your debt."

"Then you realize that I am right?"

"Yes," slowly, but making no effort to release her hands. "Yet is no other escape possible?"

"None within my knowledge."

"And you must go?"

"I must go—unless you bid me stay."

"Oh, I cannot; I cannot at such a cost!" she cried, and I could feel her body tremble with the intensity of her emotion. "But, Captain Wayne, our friendship surely need not be severed now for ever? I cannot bear to think that it should be. I am no cold, heartless ingrate, and shall never forget what you have done to serve me. I value every sacrifice you have made on my behalf. Let us indeed part now if, as you say, it must be so; yet surely there are happier days in store for both of us—days when the scars of this contest will not wear dimness and [illegible] and dress it sadly to [illegible] and [illegible]."

"The great struggle will certainly cease, possibly within a very few weeks," I answered, greatly moved by her earnestness, "but I fear the men engaged in it will remain much the same in their natures however they may dress. I can only say this: Were the path clear, I would surely find you, no matter where you were hidden."

"How terrible it is that a woman must ever choose between such evils," she said almost bitterly. "The heart says one thing and duty another all through life, it seems to me. I have so much of suffering in these last few months, so much of heartless cruelty, that I cannot bear to be the cause of any more. You and Major Brennan must not meet; but, Captain Wayne, I will not believe that we are to part thus forever."

"Do you mean that I am to seek you when the war closes?"

"There will be no time when I shall not most gladly welcome you."

"Your home?" I asked, wondering still if she could mean all that her words implied. "I have never known where you resided in the north."

"Stonington, Conn." She smiled at me through the tears yet clinging to her long lashes. "You may never come, of course; yet I shall always feel now that perhaps you will; and that is not like a final goodby, is it?"

I bowed above the hands I held, and pressed my lips upon them. For the moment I durst not speak, and then—a voice suddenly sounded in the hall below:

"I am greatly obliged to you, Miss Minor; she is probably lying down. I will run up and call her."

We started as if rudely awakened from a dream, while a sudden expression of fright swept across her face.

"Oh, do not meet him," she begged piteously. "For my sake do not remain here."

"I will go down the back stairway," I returned hastily, "but do you indeed mean it? May I come to you?"

"Yes, yes; but pray go now!"

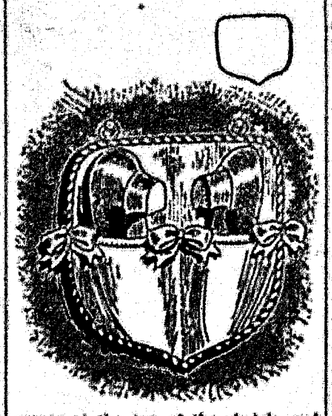
Unable longer to restrain myself, I clasped her to me, held her for one brief instant strained to my breast, kissed her twice upon lips which had no opportunity for refusal.

"This world is not so wide but that somewhere in it I shall again find the one woman of my heart," I whispered passionately, and was gone.

SHOE POCKET FOR BEDROOM

Convenient Article That Takes Up Little Space, and May Be Called an Ornament.

In the accompanying sketch may be seen a dainty little shoe pocket for hanging upon the wall at some convenient spot in the bedroom. It is shield shaped, and for the foundation a piece of stiff cardboard should be cut out in the shape shown in the di-



agram at the top of the sketch, and covered on both sides with some pretty remnant of silk.

Across the lower half a double pocket is arranged, sewn down the center and bound at the edge with narrow ribbon and into which the shoes may be slipped in the manner illustrated.

The pocket is further ornamented with three smart little ribbon bows and edged all round with a cord of fancy pattern. On either side at the top small rings are sewn on by which the pocket may be suspended from nails in the wall.

To a certain extent the colors of the materials selected should depend upon the color of the wall on which the pocket is designed to hang, but pale pink silk and white ribbon and pink and white cord would make a very pretty little article, or pale green silk with pale pink ribbon and a pale green and pink cord would be equally delicate and effective.

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PROBATE NOTICES.

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Paris in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve. The following matter having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ORDERED:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to held at Rumford on the third Tuesday of August, A. D. 1912, at 9 of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Ann Lyden late of Bethel, deceased; will and petition for probate thereof presented by Martin Lyden, the executor therein named.

Thomas G. Kimball late of Albany, deceased; first and private accounts presented for allowance by Adelbert P. Bryant, executor.

Mellen A. Virgin late of Rumford, deceased; petition for determination of collateral inheritance tax presented by George A. Virgin, administrator.

ADDISON E. HERRICK,
Judge of said Court.

A true copy—attest:
ALBERT D. PARK,
Register.

7-25-3t.

NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Lydia A. Garey late of Greenwood in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

WILLIAM H. GAREY.
July 16th 1912.
7-25-3t.

NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed executor of the last will and testament of Jody M. Ethridge late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased. All persons having demands against the estate of deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

NATHANIEL W. ETHRIDGE.
July 16th 1912.
7-25-3t.

NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed executrix of the last will and testament of Edmund E. Holt late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

CYNTHIA H. HOLT.
July 15th 1912.
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NOTICE.

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Current Time Table.
Effective June 25, 1912.
EAST BOUND.

Stations.	No. 4 Daily A.M.	No. 6 Ex. Sun. A.M.	No. 2 Daily P.M.
Berlin, leave,	3.41	8.01	2.43
Gorham,	3.55	8.17	2.56
West Bethel,	4.27	8.47	3.25
BETHEL,	4.37	8.55	3.32
Locke's Mills,		9.05	3.40
Bryant's Pond,	4.55	9.13	3.47
South Paris,	5.25	9.45	4.14
Lewiston, arrive	6.20	10.50	5.15
Portland,	7.00	11.45	6.00

WEST BOUND.

Stations.	No. 3 Daily A.M.	No. 5 Ex. Sun. P.M.	No. 1 Daily P.M.
Portland,	7.55	1.30	8.30
Lewiston,	8.45	2.20	9.05
South Paris,	9.45	3.35	9.57
Bryant's Pond,	10.19	4.10	10.44
Locke's Mills,	10.27	4.20	10.54
BETHEL,	10.35	4.30	11.04
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LOCAL HISTORY.

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ing."

The report goes on: "After an examination of the antiquities, the young people were entertained with an exhibition of the grandmothers at the spinning wheel. Flax was combed, and wool was carded, which was an entirely new scene to many young persons present; but the grandmothers were rather outdone by Aunt Sylvia Kilborn, a young married woman, who let the old folks understand that she could spin on a little wheel with a child in her arms. Grandfather Burbank in his blue frock, was very busy making a birch broom, while Grandmother Burbank was trotting round busy as a child in mischief in her linen blue and white checked (for while some of the children plagued their mothers by getting their fingers stretched on the catch wires or hooks of the little wheels and then receive a scolding.

"But the dresses of some of the women must be described. It would have made you laugh to have seen Uncle Moses Mason enter the room with his ball-crown hat, a foot in height, and his checked linen handkerchief on his neck, finds seventy years ago, accompanied by his lady with her striped satin bonnet richly made, but of enormous dimension, with large flowing dress of barcelo green silk, followed by Uncle Colman Chapman with his very low crowned hat and large distended ruffled shirt, while his lady appeared by his side in her fan-waisted dress, as neat as a pin. Then followed a bevy of young ladies in straw bonnets protecting out in front so far as utterly to preclude the use of veils or the sight of cockles, or stolen kisses, a regular Puritan bonnet, well calculated to accurate the opposite sex to the special convenience of the cut off bonnets of the present day. Large ear rings with enormous hair combs, the hair done up with combs behind the ears, giving a charm to those who thus adapted for the evening the styles of long by-gone days. A dozen or more different patterns of dress of former days were conspicuous among the fair sex. Aunt Addie was appleas in her low neck, short waisted dress with balloon sleeves, the fashion of a quarter century goes by. (name was shell) Brazen short and dresses long, single skirted and double, found their admirers. So changed were some of the ladies in appearance that they were hardly recognized by their most intimate friends.

It was past eight o'clock when the call to supper was heard. With the other persons seated around the dining table—the children in the rear, or in the adjoining room a blessing was pronounced by the patriarch present, Deacon W. Chapman, 75 years old, when "cone porridge hot" was dealt out. Aunt Mary Ann Chapman (who was she?) had the credit of making it and some of the boys declared it tasted like, or ly better than oysters. It was voted unanimously that it was the best bean porridge they ever ate. Next came the boiled corn prepared by Lucia Kimball, who has a way of fixing up things to eat a little nicer than any one else. Grandmother Roxanna Twitchell provided the Johnny cake which was capital to the taste! Aunt Mary Brown furnished another which was claimed as equally as good but the children gobbled it so quickly the reporter did not get a taste. The parched corn was furnished by Aunt Orinda Twitchell. It was better, I am thinking, than our ancestors ate. Grandmother Burbank made the pumpkin pies, none of your milk and water sort of stuff of these times, but the genuine, fragrant smelling, and something like pumpkin pie of former days.

"Then there was a huge brown bread loaf, like a volcanic mountain, smoking away in the centre of the table. Sage tea was supplied with sugar for the sick, and molasses for the well, while the children drank water, but there was considerable grumbling among this last class named because they had to wait so long for their supper. One great, stout fellow turned around to his brother and said: 'Jess, we've got to live three weeks on clear bean porridge to pay for this treat on pumpkin pie and doughnuts.' Before we had got half through with supper an alarm was raised that we were short of bean porridge. There was much excitement in consequence but the alarm proved to be a false one.

Continued next week.

DIXFIELD.

Word was received here Monday from Mrs. Chas. Stanley, who is at Dr. King's Hospital in Portland, that she is as comfortable as can be expected. Mrs. Stanley had the misfortune to slip on a stepladder, Wednesday forenoon, while trying to hang a picture on the wall, and in falling broke her right leg in three places below the knee. She was taken to Portland, Thursday morning.

Miss Shaw, who has been caring for Mrs. George Marsh since her return from the C. M. G. Hospital, Lewiston, has returned to her home in Portland. Mrs. Marsh underwent quite a critical operation. Her many friends are glad to know of her improving condition, and hope for her speedy recovery.

The church services and Sunday school at the Congregational church will be discontinued through the month of August.

Dr. Pease and family are at Peaks Island for a two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. Vera Hand and two children are at the home of her mother, Mrs. Hannah Holmes, for a few weeks.

BIBLICAL HISTORY LESSONS.

"What happened to Babylon?" asked the Sunday school teacher.

"It fell!" cried the pupil.

"And what became of Nineveh?"

"It was destroyed!"

"And what of Tyre?"

"Pantored!"—McCall's.

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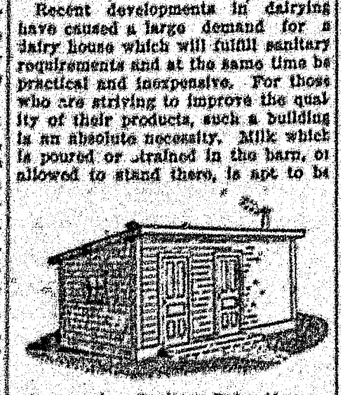

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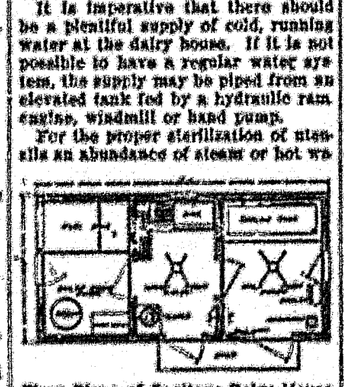
contaminated by germs and to absorb stable odors. The best practice is to remove the milk to the dairy house as soon as each cow is milked. Milk should be cooled immediately, so the dairy house should be provided with proper facilities for this purpose.

While the dairy house should be conveniently located so that the milkers do not have a long walk from the barn, it must be so placed that it is free from contaminating surroundings. It should be built on a well-drained spot, and the drainage of the dairy house itself should be carried well away from the building. If possible the ground should slope from the dairy house toward the barn, rather than from the barn toward the dairy house.

The principal purpose in building a dairy house is to provide a place where dairy products may be handled apart from everything else. To carry out this idea it is necessary to divide the interior of the building so that utensils will not have to be washed in the same room where the milk is handled. Thorough cleanliness must always be kept in mind; therefore there should be no unnecessary ledges or rough surfaces inside the building, so that it can be quickly and thoroughly cleaned. Ventilators are necessary to keep the air in the milk room fresh and free from musty and undesirable odors, and to carry off steam from the wash room. Windows are of prime importance, as they let in fresh air and sunlight, and facilitate work. In summer the doors and windows should be screened to keep out flies and other insects.

It is imperative that there should be a plentiful supply of cold, running water at the dairy house. If it is not possible to have a regular water system, the supply may be piped from an elevated tank fed by a hydraulic ram engine, windmill or hand pump.

For the proper sterilization of utensils an abundance of steam or hot wa-



Floor Plans of Sanitary Dairy House Showing General Arrangement.

ter is needed. A pail or can may be clean to the eye and yet may carry numberless germs which will hasten the souring of the milk, cause bad flavor in butter or cheese, or spread contagion. After utensils are washed clean they should be either scalded with boiling water or steamed.

The dairy house should be so built that labor is economized to the great est extent. To do this the building must be arranged so that unnecessary steps will be avoided.

Rations for Dairy Cattle.

The following general facts should be observed in making up the ration for a dairy cow. A cow should be fed all that she will eat and digest well giving due consideration to the cost digestibility and composition of the food fed. The more palatable the food the greater quantity a cow will eat as a rule. Variety often increases palatability.

A part of the ration should be succulent in nature, as such food stimulates action in the intestinal tract, which stimulates vigor, thrift and health in the animal. Another important part of the food supply is water. Too often this is not given proper consideration.

Silo and the Dairy.

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Do the Best We Can.

The best cows are none too good when measured by their profits, but all of us cannot afford to go out and buy the best; hence we should try and do the best we can with those we have until we can secure better.

WEST PARIS.

Mr. and Mrs. Eaton and little daughter, of Lewiston, were the guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. William Cookson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis M. Mann, accompanied by Mrs. Mann's mother, Mrs. Jennie Andrews, of Bryant's Pond are spending a few days at Ferry Beach.

M. S. Bubier has purchased the Bryant stand on Church street of W. W. Dunham. Leo Marston, who now occupies the house will move to the rent over the post office.

Mrs. Taylor of Boston is at J. B. Tucker's. Her daughter, Frances arrived several weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Bates, Miss Ruth Tucker and Rev. C. H. Young took an auto trip to the White Mountains, last week. Rev. I. S. Macduff accompanied them on her return to Bridgton.

Mrs. Lida Perkins and family are the guests of her father, Rev. Seth Benson.

Mr. and Mrs. Adney Tuell took an automobile trip to Newry on Sunday to visit their daughter, Mrs. Carrie Frost and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Aldrich and children were the week end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Aldrich.

Mrs. Elva E. Locke, who has been suffering much from an injury to her knee is somewhat improved. She is visited by her friend, Mrs. Boody, of Portland.

E. W. Penley and family left Saturday for a stay at the Penley cottage at Bailey's Island.

Abner Mann, Alice Penley and Clara Bacon attended the Y. P. C. U. Convention held at Ferry Beach last week.

Mrs. Emma W. Mann is visiting at Kingman.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur K. Shurtleff were the week end guests of Mrs. Shurtleff's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Briggs of Portland spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in this place.

Caught a Real Goldfish.

Fish stories are rife now, and under the seductive influence of this balmy time new versions come to light of the same old stories we have heard since boyhood days. Representative Plumley of Vermont, of portentously serious mien, asserted to a smiling group of colleagues that a couple of seasons ago he lost his watch and a $20 gold piece overboard while waiting by a placid pool for a bite. The next day, he declared under oath, he caught a fish in that self same pool—a "gold fish," of course—and he found within the finny armor of that Vermont bass his watch, the $20 gold piece, and 30 cents accrued interest.—Joe Mitchell Chapple in Joe Chapple's News Letter.

Her "Vicarious Babies.

A young New York woman just past girlhood, who has an ample income, wished to assume the guardianship of some child without taking it into her own home, which, under the circumstances, was impossible. After some looking about the association hit upon a struggling mother who was so very poor that she had practically made up her mind to yield to an institution her two children, a girl and a boy. These children, who were very promising, were shown to the fairy godmother, who undertook to pay for their support and education.

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Geographical Glee.

Milwaukee, to the funnysmith, is but one vat of beer; Chicago is the windy burg, with lots of atmosphere; Sioux Falls, as the divorcee's joy, long since attained renown, and Brooklyn, to the humorist, is baby carriage town.

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